

## 2018-2019 Undergraduate Calendar

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## Introduction

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### Collection, Use and Disclosure of Personal Information

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Personal information is collected under the authority of the University of Guelph Act (1964), and in accordance with Ontario's Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act (FIPPA) <http://www.e-laws.gov.on.ca/index.html>. This information is used by University officials in order to carry out their authorized academic and administrative responsibilities and also to establish a relationship for alumni and development purposes. Certain personal information is disclosed to external agencies, including the Ontario Universities Application Centre, the Ministry of Advanced Education and Skills Development, and Statistics Canada, for statistical and planning purposes, and is disclosed to other individuals or organizations in accordance with the Office of Registrarial Services Departmental Policy on the Release of Student Information. For details on the use and disclosure of this information call the Office of Registrarial Services at the University at (519) 824-4120 or see <http://www.uoguelph.ca/registrar/registrar/index.cfm?index>.

### Disclosure of Personal Information to the Ontario Ministry of Advanced Education and Skills Development

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The University of Guelph is required to disclose personal information such as characteristics and educational outcomes to the Minister of Advanced Education and Skills Development under s. 15 of the Ministry of Advanced Education and Skills Development Act, R.S.O. 1990, Chapter M.19, as amended. The Ministry collects this data for purposes including but not limited to planning, allocating and administering public funding to colleges, universities and other post-secondary educational and training institutions.

Amendments made to the Ministry of Advanced Education and Skills Development Act, authorizing the collection and use of personal information from colleges and universities by the Minister of Advanced Education and Skills Development, which were set out in Schedule 5 of the Childcare Modernization Act, 2014, came into force on March 31, 2015.

The amendments strengthen the ability of the Minister to directly or indirectly collect and use personal information about students as required to conduct research and analysis, including longitudinal studies, and statistical activities conducted by or on behalf of the Ministry for purposes that relate to post-secondary education and training, including,

- i. understanding the transition of students from secondary school to post-secondary education and training,
- ii. understanding student participation and progress, mobility and learning and employment outcomes,
- iii. understanding linkages among universities, colleges, secondary schools and other educational and training institutions prescribed by regulation,
- iv. understanding trends in post-secondary education or training program choices made by students,
- v. understanding sources and patterns of student financial resources, including financial assistance and supports provided by government and post-secondary educational and training institutions,
- vi. planning to enhance the affordability and accessibility of post-secondary education and training and the quality and effectiveness of the post-secondary sector,
- vii. identifying conditions or barriers that inhibit student participation, progress, completion and transition to employment or future post-secondary educational or training opportunities, and
- viii. developing key performance indicators.

Information that the University is required to provide includes but is not limited to: first, middle and last name, Ontario Educational Number, citizenship, date of birth, gender, first three digits of a student's postal code, mother tongue, degree program and major(s) in which the student is enrolled, year of study and whether the student has transferred from another institution.

Further information on the collection and use of student-level enrolment-related data can be obtained from the Ministry of Advanced Education and Skills Development website: <https://www.ontario.ca/page/ministry-advanced-education-and-skills-development> (English) or <https://www.ontario.ca/fr/page/ministere-de-lenseignement-superieur-et-de-la-formation-professionnelle> (French) or by writing to the Director, Postsecondary Finance and Information Management Branch, Postsecondary Education Division, 7th Floor, Mowat Block, 900 Bay Street, Toronto, ON M7A 1L2.

An update on Institutional and Ministry of Advanced Education and Skills Development Act Notice of Disclosure Activities is posted at <https://www.ontario.ca/page/ministry-advanced-education-and-skills-development>

Frequently Asked Questions related to the Ministry's enrolment and OEN data activities are also posted at: <http://www.tcu.gov.on.ca/peps/publications/NoticeOfCollection.pdf>

#### Authority to Disclose Personal Information to Statistics Canada

The Ministry of Advanced Education and Skills Development discloses student-level enrolment-related data it collects from the colleges and universities as required by Statistics Canada in accordance with Section 13 of the Federal Statistics Act. This gives Ministry of Advanced Education and Skills Development Act authority to disclose personal information in accordance with s. 42(1) (e) of FIPPA

### Notification of Disclosure of Personal Information to Statistics Canada

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For further information, please see the Statistics Canada's web site at <http://www.statcan.ca> and Section XIV Statistics Canada.

### Address for University Communication

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Depending on the nature and timing of the communication, the University may use one of these addresses to communicate with students. Students are, therefore, responsible for checking all of the following on a regular basis:

#### Email Address

The University issued email address is considered an official means of communication with the student and will be used for correspondence from the University. Students are responsible for monitoring their University-issued email account regularly. See Section I--Statement of Students' Academic Responsibilities for more information.

#### Home Address

Students are responsible for maintaining a current mailing address with the University. Address changes can be made, in writing, through Enrolment Services.

### Name Changes

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The University of Guelph is committed to the integrity of its student records, therefore, each student is required to provide either on application for admission or on personal data forms required for registration, his/her complete, legal name. Any requests to change a name, by means of alteration, deletion, substitution or addition, must be accompanied by appropriate supporting documentation.

### Student Confidentiality and Release of Student Information Policy Excerpt

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The University undertakes to protect the privacy of each student and the confidentiality of his or her record. To this end the University shall refuse to disclose personal information to any person other than the individual to whom the information relates where disclosure would constitute an unjustified invasion of the personal privacy of that person or of any other individual. All members of the University community must respect the confidential nature of the student information which they acquire in the course of their work.

Complete policy at <https://uoguelph.civicweb.net/document/68892/ORSInfoReleasePolicy060610.pdf?handle=FF982F8A9AEA4076BE4F3D88147172B8>.

# Learning Outcomes

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On December 5, 2012, the University of Guelph Senate approved five University-wide Learning Outcomes as the basis from which to guide the development of undergraduate degree programs, specializations and courses:

1. Critical and Creative Thinking
2. Literacy
3. Global Understanding
4. Communicating
5. Professional and Ethical Behaviour

These learning outcomes are also intended to serve as a framework through which our educational expectations are clear to students and the broader public; and to inform the process of outcomes assessment through the quality assurance process (regular reviews) of programs and departments.

An on-line guide to the learning outcomes, links to the associated skills, and detailed rubrics designed to support the development and assessment of additional program and discipline-specific outcomes, are available for reference on the [Learning Outcomes website](#).

## 1. Critical and Creative Thinking

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Critical and creative thinking is a concept in which one applies logical principles, after much inquiry and analysis, to solve problems with a high degree of innovation, divergent thinking and risk taking. Those mastering this outcome show evidence of integrating knowledge and applying this knowledge across disciplinary boundaries. Depth and breadth of understanding of disciplines is essential to this outcome.

In addition, **Critical and Creative Thinking** includes, but is not limited to, the following outcomes: **Inquiry and Analysis; Problem Solving; Creativity; and Depth and Breadth of Understanding.**

## 2. Literacy

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Literacy is the ability to extract information from a variety of resources, assess the quality and validity of the material, and use it to discover new knowledge. The comfort in using quantitative literacy also exists in this definition, as does using technology effectively and developing visual literacy.

In addition, **Literacy** includes, but is not limited to, the following outcomes: **Information Literacy, Quantitative Literacy, Technological Literacy, and Visual Literacy.**

## 3. Global Understanding:

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Global understanding encompasses the knowledge of cultural similarities and differences, the context (historical, geographical, political and environmental) from which these arise, and how they are manifest in modern society. Global understanding is exercised as civic engagement, intercultural competence and the ability to understand an academic discipline outside of the domestic context.

In addition, **Global Understanding** includes, but is not limited to, the following outcomes: **Global Understanding, Sense of Historical Development, Civic Knowledge and Engagement, and Intercultural Competence.**

## 4. Communicating

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Communicating is the ability to interact effectively with a variety of individuals and groups, and convey information successfully in a variety of formats including oral and written communication. Communicating also comprises attentiveness and listening, as well as reading comprehension. It includes the ability to communicate and synthesize information, arguments, and analyses accurately and reliably.

In addition, **Communicating** includes, but is not limited to, the following outcomes: **Oral Communication, Written Communication, Reading Comprehension, and Integrative Communication.**

## 5. Professional and Ethical Behaviour

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Professional and ethical behaviour requires the ability to accomplish the tasks at hand with proficient skills in teamwork and leadership, while remembering ethical reasoning behind all decisions. The ability for organizational and time management skills is essential in bringing together all aspects of managing self and others. Academic integrity is central to mastery in this outcome.

In addition, **Professional and Ethical Behaviour** includes, but is not limited to, the following outcomes: **Teamwork, Ethical Reasoning, Leadership, and Personal Organization and Time Management**

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## Bachelor of Science (B.Sc.)

The University of Guelph offers general and honours programs leading to the B.Sc. degree. The general program consists of a minimum of 15.00 credits (usually 30 semester courses) involving normally 6 semesters of study. The requirements for the honours program is a minimum of 20.00 credits (usually 40 semester courses) which may be obtained over 8 semesters of study. Some majors may require more than 20.00 credits.

### The Three Semester System

Most of the B.Sc. programs operate on the three semester system. In this system each of the Fall, Winter and Summer semesters is of 12 weeks duration. Two semesters are equivalent to 1 academic year at a university on the traditional system. In the three semester system, students may vary their rate of progress towards graduation. However, since many science courses must be taken in a certain sequence and not all courses are offered each semester, most science students are required to proceed from semester to semester in restricted patterns. Furthermore, the advanced courses of the honours programs are offered only in the regular fall and winter semesters.

Additional information may be obtained from Admissions Services, Office of Registrarial Services. The three-semester system and the pass-by-course method of advancement allow considerable flexibility of program arrangement. In addition, a variety of program contents is available which the student may modify to meet individual requirements.

### Transfer from One B.Sc. Program to Another

On entrance to the B.Sc. program, the student may elect to follow an intended area of specialization or to postpone this decision until a later semester. The choice of a particular program of study may be most effectively made at the end of Semester 3 or 4. Judicious selection of courses in each and every semester will allow the easiest transfer between programs without incurring the need for additional semesters of study. The program counsellor of the particular college from which it is anticipated that the majority of science courses will be taken should be consulted for advice.

## Program Information

### General Program Requirements

The general B.Sc. degree requires the successful completion of 15.00 credits. Normally 2.50 credits (usually 5 courses) are taken in each semester so that the degree may be completed in 6 semesters. The general science program is designed to give a broad general training in biological science, chemistry, physics and mathematical science. This is achieved by requiring each student to take a minimum of 1.00 credits in each of the above areas and an additional 0.50 credits in three of the four above areas. The courses to be taken in semesters 4 to 6 may be selected to allow a broad study of the sciences from the list of approved electives for B.Sc. students.

### Honours Program Requirements

In order to graduate from the honours program, students must fulfill all program requirements for the program and have achieved a 60%, or higher, cumulative average over all course attempts. Normally 2.50 credits (usually 5 courses) are taken in each semester so that the degree may be completed in generally 8 semesters. The following types of honours programs are offered:

#### Honours Major Programs

Major in a subject

Major in a subject with a minor or a second major

#### Honours Major

Majors permit a student to study science in greater depth than is permitted by the general program. The student is required to take a minimum of 1.00 credits (usually 2 courses) in each of biological science, chemistry, physics and mathematical science. In each of semesters 3 to 8, students select science credits so that the total program provides a broad science training with concentration in an area of physical science or biological science.

A major normally consists of certain prescribed courses (minimum of 8.00 credits) and a number of elective courses to complete the requirements for the degree. The composition of science courses selected must contain a sufficient number (minimum of 6.00 credits) of 3000 and 4000 level courses including a grouping (minimum of 2.00 credits) particularly at the 4000 level. A major program may be studied in conjunction with a minor in an area of science, humanities or social science.

#### Honours Minor

A minor is a group of courses which provides for exposure to and mastery of the fundamental principles of a subject. A minor consists of a minimum of 5.00 credits (normally 10 courses). It may also require certain other courses from other areas to be taken along with the specified courses of the minor. A minor is taken in conjunction with a major.

Students should seek advice from the program counsellor of either the [College of Biological Science](#) or the [College of Engineering and Physical Sciences](#) dependent upon their primary area(s) of interest. Refer to B.Sc. Program Requirements: Regulation 6 Double-Counting of Credits.

## B.Sc. Program Requirements

**Regulations 1- 9 apply to all B.Sc. students.**

### 1. Entry Credits

In general, the 4U /grade 12 credit or its equivalent is required in a subject area to allow entrance to the initial university course. Students who lack this requirement can remedy the deficiency by successful completion of:

BIOL\*1020 for students lacking biology

CHEM\*1060 for students lacking chemistry

If more than one of the above courses is taken, students are required to complete additional credits beyond the minimum total required for the degree.

### 2. 1st Year Science Core

All majors within the B.Sc. degree are required to complete the first year core as outlined within their major. The core consists of courses in biology, chemistry, physics and mathematical science.

### 3. 1000 Level Credits

If more than 7.00 credits at the 1000 level are completed, students are required to complete additional credits beyond the minimum total required for the degree.

### 4. 3000 and 4000 Level Credits

There is a requirement for a minimum of 6.00 science credits at the 3000- and 4000-levels with a minimum of 2.00 credits at the 4000 level.

### 5. Science Credits

A minimum of 16.00 science credits (usually 32 courses) is required for the honours major program. The inclusion of a minor in a non-science area involves the reduction to 14.00 science credits. A minimum of 12.00 science credits is required for the three year general B.Sc. degree. Acceptable science courses means "acceptable to the B.Sc. Program Committee". Lists of acceptable science courses are available at: [https://www.uoguelph.ca/bsc/Approved\\_electives](https://www.uoguelph.ca/bsc/Approved_electives).

### 6. Non Science Electives

All majors within the B.Sc. degree require a specified number of arts and social science electives. A complete listing of acceptable arts and social science electives can be found at: [https://www.uoguelph.ca/bsc/Approved\\_electives](https://www.uoguelph.ca/bsc/Approved_electives)

### 7. Free Electives

All majors within the B.Sc. degree have a specified number of free electives. The free elective requirement can be fulfilled by any approved elective for B.Sc. students. This includes courses from the approved science and arts and social science elective lists. Free electives can also include any other course currently not on any of the approved lists, except for those that are not appropriate for B.Sc. students. This restriction would be stated in the course description.

### 8. Double-Counting of Credits

A maximum of 2.50 credits required in a major program may be applied to meet the requirements of a minor or an additional major.

For a completed minor in a non B.Sc. area, students can apply up to 1.00 credits, from their minor, at the 3000/4000 level towards the 6.00 credits at the 3000/4000 level required for the degree.

Students cannot declare a major or minor in the three year general B.Sc. degree.

### 9. Continuation of Study

Students are advised to consult the regulations for continuation of study outlined in detail in Section VIII--Undergraduate Degree Regulations & Procedures.

### Special Study Options

Students contemplating study at another university for credit towards a Bachelor of Science degree at the University of Guelph should refer to the general regulations governing Letters of Permission in Section VIII--Undergraduate Degree Regulations & Procedures in this calendar. Students must obtain approval for the Letter of Permission prior to undertaking studies at another institution

### Study Abroad

The University of Guelph offers many other Study Abroad and Exchange opportunities for students to enrich their learning experience. Bachelor of Science students are encouraged to participate in any of the diverse options available. Courses taken while on exchange or study abroad may be used as electives or core requirements pending appropriate approvals. For further information on the programs available, please refer to Section V - International Study. Students are advised to meet with the Centre for International Programs and B.Sc. Program Counsellor to discuss the feasibility of participating in an exchange or semester abroad.

## Doctor of Veterinary Medicine

Students in the B.Sc. program who intend to apply for admission to the Doctor of Veterinary Medicine program should register for the Major Biological Science or Major Physical Science program, or the major of their choice. Prospective candidates for the D.V.M. program should consult the admission requirements for the program. Students may obtain assistance in selecting a program that will meet the requirements for the Doctor of Veterinary Program and for continuation in biological or physical science programs by consulting the appropriate Program Counsellor.

## General Program (BSCG)

### Continuation of Study

Students are advised to consult the regulations for continuation of study within the program which are outlined in detail in Section VIII--Undergraduate Degree Regulations & Procedures.

### Conditions for Graduation

In order to qualify for graduation from the general program the student is required to attain a passing grade in a minimum of 15.00 required credits as outlined in the Total Course Requirements for all students in the General Science Program and have achieved a minimum cumulative average of 50%.

### Total Course Requirements for all Students in the General Science Program

Total of 15.00 credits as follows:

- 4.00 credits from the first year science core - 1.00 credits beyond the 4U/ grade 12 level in each of biological science, chemistry, mathematical science, physics. Note: A maximum of 7.00 credits at the 1000 level may be used towards the degree requirements.
- An additional 0.50 credits from at least 3 of the following subject areas: biological science, biochemistry/chemistry, mathematical science, physics.
- 6.50 additional credits selected from the list of approved sciences electives for the B.Sc. degree program of which 2.50 credits must be at the 3000 or 4000 level. Note: One of: BIOL\*1020, CHEM\*1060 may be counted towards the degree requirements, counting as 0.50 credits in science.
- 2.00 credits - arts and/or social science electives approved for the B.Sc. degree program.
- 1.00 credits in electives.

### Recommended Schedule for Students in Biological Science Areas

#### Semester 1

BIOL*1090	[0.50]	Introduction to Molecular and Cellular Biology *
CHEM*1040	[0.50]	General Chemistry I
MATH*1080	[0.50]	Elements of Calculus I
PHYS*1080	[0.50]	Physics for Life Sciences

0.50 Arts or Social Science electives

Students lacking Grade 12 or 4U Biology, Chemistry or Physics should follow the revised schedule of study for this major found at <http://www.bsc.uoguelph.ca/revisedss>

#### Semester 2

BIOL*1070	[0.50]	Discovering Biodiversity *
CHEM*1050	[0.50]	General Chemistry II
PHYS*1070	[0.50]	Physics for Life Sciences II

One of:

CIS*1000	[0.50]	Introduction to Computer Applications
CIS*1200	[0.50]	Introduction to Computing
CIS*1500	[0.50]	Introduction to Programming
STAT*2040	[0.50]	Statistics I
MATH*2080	[0.50]	Elements of Calculus II

0.50 Arts or Social Science electives

\* BIOL\*1080 is a prerequisite for some courses in the biological sciences. Students are strongly recommended to also complete this course by the end of the third semester.

#### Semester 3 to 6

A minimum of 2.50 credits in each semester, including at least 2.00 acceptable science credits per semester. For details consult 'Total Course Requirements'.

### Recommended Schedule for Students in Physical Science Areas

#### Semester 1

CHEM*1040	[0.50]	General Chemistry I
IPS*1500	[1.00]	Integrated Mathematics and Physics I

One of

BIOL*1070	[0.50]	Discovering Biodiversity
BIOL*1080	[0.50]	Biological Concepts of Health
BIOL*1090	[0.50]	Introduction to Molecular and Cellular Biology

0.50 Arts or Social Science electives

Students lacking Grade 12 or 4U Biology, Chemistry or Physics should follow the revised schedule of study for this major found at: <http://www.bsc.uoguelph.ca/revisedss>

#### Semester 2

CHEM*1050	[0.50]	General Chemistry II
IPS*1510	[1.00]	Integrated Mathematics and Physics II

One of

BIOL*1070	[0.50]	Discovering Biodiversity
BIOL*1080	[0.50]	Biological Concepts of Health
BIOL*1090	[0.50]	Introduction to Molecular and Cellular Biology

0.50 Arts or Social Science electives

#### Semester 3 to 6

A minimum of 2.50 credits in each semester, including 2.00 acceptable science courses per semester. For details consult 'Total Course Requirements'.

### Honours Programs (BSCH)

#### Honours Program Majors

The following honours majors are available:

##### Biological Sciences:

- 20.00 credits -Animal Biology (ABIO)
- 20.00 credits -Biochemistry (BIOC)
- 20.00 credits -Biodiversity (BIOD)
- 20.00 credits -Biological Science (BIOS)
- 20.00 credits -Bio-Medical Science (BIOM)
- 20.00 credits -Biomedical Toxicology (BTOX)
- 20.00 credits -Environmental Biology (ENVB)
- 20.00 credits -Food Science (FOOD)
- 20.00 credits - Human Kinetics (HK)
- 20.00 credits - Marine and Freshwater Biology (MFB)
- 20.00 credits - Microbiology (MICR)
- 20.00 credits - Molecular Biology and Genetics (MBG)
- 20.00 credits - Neuroscience (NEUR)
- 20.00 credits - Nutritional and Nutraceutical Sciences (NANS)
- 20.00 credits - Plant Science (PLSC)
- 20.00 credits - Wildlife Biology and Conservation (WBC)
- 20.00 credits - Zoology (ZOO)

##### Physical Sciences:

- 20.00 credits - Biological and Pharmaceutical Chemistry (BPCH)
- 20.00 credits - Biological and Medical Physics (BMPH)
- 20.00 credits - Chemical Physics (CHPY)
- 20.00 credits - Chemistry (CHEM)
- 20.00 credits - Environmental Geoscience and Geomatics (EGG)
- 20.00 credits - Mathematical Science (MSCI)
- 20.00 credits - Nanoscience (NANO)
- 20.00 credits -Physical Science (PSCI)
- 20.00 credits -Physics (PHYS)
- 20.00 credits -Theoretical Physics (THPY)

##### Co-operative Educational Programs:

- 20.00 credits - Biochemistry (Co-op) (BIOC:C)
- 20.00 credits - Biological and Medical Physics (Co-op) (BMPH:C)
- 20.00 credits - Marine and Freshwater Biology (Co-op) (MFB:C)
- 20.00 credits - Biological and Pharmaceutical Chemistry (Co-op) (BPCH:C)
- 20.00 credits -Biomedical Toxicology (Co-op) (BTOX:C)
- 20.00 credits - Chemical Physics (Co-op) (CHPY:C)
- 20.00 credits - Chemistry (Co-op) (CHEM:C)
- 20.00 credits - Food Science (Co-op) (FOOD:C)
- 20.00 credits - Nanoscience (NANO:C)
- 20.00 credits - Microbiology (Co-op) (MICR:C)
- 20.00 credits - Physics (Co-op) (PHYS:C)

#### Honours Program Minors

Minors are available in the following science areas with the particular credit requirements being given (additional minors are available from the [College of Arts](#) and the [College of Social and Applied Human Sciences](#)). A minor may include additional prerequisites - consult with the appropriate faculty advisor.

##### Biological Sciences:

- 5.00 credits - Biology (BIOL)
- 5.00 credits - Biochemistry (BIOC)
- 5.00 credits - Biotechnology (BIOT)
- 5.00 credits - Microbiology (MICR)
- 5.00 credits - Molecular Biology and Genetics (MBG)
- 5.00 credits - Neuroscience (NEUR)
- 5.00 credits - Nutritional and Nutraceutical Sciences (NANS)
- 5.00 credits - Plant Science (PLSC)
- 5.00 credits - Zoology (ZOO)

**Physical Sciences:**

5.00 credits - Chemistry (CHEM)

5.00 credits - Physics (PHYS)

**Environmental Sciences:**

5.00 credits - Ecology (ECOL)

5.00 credits - Geographic Information Systems (GIS) and Environmental Analysis

**Mathematical Sciences:**

5.00 credits - Computing and Information Science (CIS)

5.00 credits - Mathematical Science (MSCI)

5.00 credits - Mathematics (MATH)

5.00 credits - Statistics (STAT)

**Additional Disciplines:**

5.00 credits - Business Economics (BECN)

**Continuation of Study**

Students are advised to consult the regulations for continuation of study within the program which are outlined in detail in Section VII--Undergraduate Degree Regulations & Procedures.

**Conditions for Graduation****Schedules 1 and 2**

In order to qualify for graduation from the honours program, the student must fulfill all program requirements and have achieved 60%, or higher, cumulative average in all course attempts.

**Note:** A student registered in an honours program who has successfully completed all required courses and the specified total number of credits for the program but does not have a cumulative average of 60%, or higher, may apply to graduate from the general program.

**Co-operative Education Program**

Admission to the Co-operative Education program may be granted on entry to the University or by application normally before the conclusion of Semester 1. Application forms can be obtained from the Coop Education and Career Services website <https://www.recruiitguelp.ca/cces/>.

**Conditions for Graduation from the B.Sc. Co-operative Education Program**

Conditions for graduation are the same as the corresponding regular B.Sc. program. In addition, all work reports and work performance evaluations must have a grade of satisfactory or better.

**Animal Biology (ABIO)****Department of Animal Biosciences, Ontario Agricultural College****Major (Honours Program)**

Students may enter this major in Semester 1 or any semester thereafter. A student wishing to declare the major may wish to consult the Faculty Advisor.

**Semester 1**

BIOL\*1050 [0.50] Biology of Plants &amp; Animals in Managed Ecosystems

CHEM\*1040 [0.50] General Chemistry I

MATH\*1080 [0.50] Elements of Calculus I

PHYS\*1080 [0.50] Physics for Life Sciences

0.50 Arts or Social Science electives

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**Semester 2**

ANSC\*1210 [1.00] Principles of Animal Care and Welfare

BIOL\*1090 [0.50] Introduction to Molecular and Cellular Biology

CHEM\*1050 [0.50] General Chemistry II

PHYS\*1070 [0.50] Physics for Life Sciences II

**Semester 3**

AGR\*2350 [0.50] Animal Production Systems, Health and Industry

BIOC\*2580 [0.50] Introduction to Biochemistry

MBG\*2040 [0.50] Foundations in Molecular Biology and Genetics

MBG\*2400 [0.50] Fundamentals of Plant and Animal Genetics

0.50 electives or restricted electives

Students are encouraged to consider CIS\*1000 as an elective if they wish to enhance their computer literacy.

**Semester 4**

ANSC\*2340 [0.50] Structure of Farm Animals

MCB\*2050 [0.50] Molecular Biology of the Cell

NUTR\*3210 [0.50] Fundamentals of Nutrition

STAT\*2040 [0.50] Statistics I

0.50 electives or restricted electives

**Semester 5**

ANSC\*3080 [0.50] Agricultural Animal Physiology

ANSC\*3120 [0.50] Introduction to Animal Nutrition

1.50 electives or restricted electives

**Semester 6**

ANSC\*3040 [0.50] Animal Reproduction

ANSC\*3270 [0.50] Animal Disorders

MBG\*3060 [0.50] Quantitative Genetics

1.00 electives or restricted electives

**Semester 7**

2.50 electives or restricted electives

**Semester 8**

2.50 electives or restricted electives

**Restricted Electives**

1. Students must complete 2.00 credits from Arts or Social Science courses. ANSC\*1210 is an Arts and Social Science 1.00 credit. 1.00 additional credits from Arts or Social Science are required.
2. 0.50 credits is required from each of the following areas: Animal Nutrition, Animal Breeding & Genetics, and Animal Physiology & Behaviour. Students are encouraged to consult with the Faculty Advisor for help in tailoring their selection to meet personal and career interests.

Animal Breeding &amp; Genetics [0.50] Required

ANSC\*4050 [0.50] Biotechnology in Animal Science

MBG\*4020 [0.50] Genetics of Companion Animals

MBG\*4030 [0.50] Animal Breeding Methods and Applications

Animal Nutrition [0.50] Required

ANSC\*3170 [0.50] Nutrition of Fish and Crustacea

ANSC\*3180 [0.50] Wildlife Nutrition

ANSC\*4260 [0.50] Beef Cattle Nutrition

ANSC\*4270 [0.50] Dairy Cattle Nutrition

ANSC\*4280 [0.50] Poultry Nutrition

ANSC\*4290 [0.50] Swine Nutrition

ANSC\*4560 [0.50] Pet Nutrition

EQN\*4020 [0.50] Advanced Equine Nutrition

Animal Physiology &amp; Behaviour [0.50] Required

ANSC\*4090 [0.50] Applied Animal Behaviour

ANSC\*4100 [0.50] Applied Environmental Physiology and Animal Housing

ANSC\*4350 [0.50] Experiments in Animal Biology

ANSC\*4470 [0.50] Animal Metabolism

ANSC\*4490 [0.50] Applied Endocrinology

3. An additional 3.00 credits must be obtained by selecting courses from the above lists and from the following:

ANSC\*3050 [0.50] Aquaculture: Advanced Issues

ANSC\*4610 [0.50] Critical Analysis in Animal Science

ANSC\*4650 [0.50] Comparative Immunology

ANSC\*4700 [0.50] Research in Animal Biology I

ANSC\*4710 [0.50] Research in Animal Biology II

BIOC\*3560 [0.50] Structure and Function in Biochemistry

EQN\*3050 [0.50] Equine Exercise Physiology

MICR\*3230 [0.50] Immunology

PATH\*3610 [0.50] Principles of Disease

POPM\*3240 [0.50] Epidemiology

POPM\*4230 [0.50] Animal Health

**Credit Summary (20.00 Total Credits)**

3.50 - First year science credits

6.50 - Required science courses semesters 3 - 8

4.50 - Restricted electives (#2 and #3)

1.50 - Approved Science electives

1.00 - Required Arts and/or Social Science course (ANSC 1210)

1.00 - Approved Arts and/or Social Science electives

2.00 - Free electives - any approved elective for B.Sc. students.

Of the total credits required, students are required to complete 16.00 credits in science of which 2.00 credits must be at the 4000 level and an additional 4.00 credits must be at the 3000 or 4000 level.

**Biochemistry (BIOC)****Department of Molecular and Cellular Biology, College of Biological Science**

A B.Sc. in Biochemistry offers a multidisciplinary curriculum that gives students broad exposure to the life sciences with specific attention paid to the physical and chemical nature of biomolecular systems. The lab-intensive experience in this program prepares students to pursue post-graduate research opportunities in many different life science related fields. Graduates are also positioned to be successful in obtaining entrance to a number of professional programs, as well as employment in industry and government.

Students may enter this major in Semester 1 or any semester thereafter. A student wishing to declare the major may wish to consult the Faculty Advisor. The major will require the completion of at least 20.00 credits as indicated below:



**Major (Honours Program)****Semester 1**

BIOL*1090	[0.50]	Introduction to Molecular and Cellular Biology
CHEM*1040	[0.50]	General Chemistry I
MATH*1080	[0.50]	Elements of Calculus I
PHYS*1080	[0.50]	Physics for Life Sciences

0.50 Arts or Social Science electives

Students lacking Grade 12 or 4U Biology, Chemistry or Physics should follow the revised schedule of study for this major found at [https://www.uoguelph.ca/bsc/revised\\_SS](https://www.uoguelph.ca/bsc/revised_SS)

**Semester 2**

BIOL*1070	[0.50]	Discovering Biodiversity
BIOL*1080	[0.50]	Biological Concepts of Health
CHEM*1050	[0.50]	General Chemistry II
MATH*2080	[0.50]	Elements of Calculus II
PHYS*1070	[0.50]	Physics for Life Sciences II

**Semester 3**

BIOC*2580	[0.50]	Introduction to Biochemistry
MBG*2040	[0.50]	Foundations in Molecular Biology and Genetics
MICR*2420	[0.50]	Introduction to Microbiology
STAT*2040	[0.50]	Statistics I

0.50 Arts or Social Science electives

**Semester 4**

BIOC*3560	[0.50]	Structure and Function in Biochemistry
CHEM*2480	[0.50]	Analytical Chemistry I
CHEM*2700	[0.50]	Organic Chemistry I
MCB*2050	[0.50]	Molecular Biology of the Cell
MICR*2430	[0.50]	Methods in Microbial Culture and Physiology

**Semester 5**

BIOC*3570	[0.75]	Analytical Biochemistry
CHEM*2880	[0.50]	Physical Chemistry
CHEM*3750	[0.50]	Organic Chemistry II

electives or restricted electives to a maximum of 2.75 total credits

**Semester 6**

MBG*3350	[0.75]	Laboratory Methods in Molecular Biology I
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electives or restricted electives to a maximum of 2.75 total credits

**Semester 7**

2.50 electives or restricted electives

**Semester 8**

BIOC*4540	[0.75]	Enzymology
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electives or restricted electives to a maximum of 2.75 total credits

**Restricted Electives**

- Students must take as part of their program: 4.00 credits from the following list, with at least 1.00 of these credits from BIOC\*4520, BIOC\*4580, MCB\*4050.

BIOC*4520	[0.50]	Metabolic Processes
BIOC*4580	[0.50]	Membrane Biochemistry
BIOL*3300	[0.50]	Applied Bioinformatics
BIOM*3200	[1.00]	Biomedical Physiology
MBG*3040	[0.50]	Molecular Biology of the Gene
MBG*3080	[0.50]	Bacterial Genetics
MCB*3010	[0.50]	Dynamics of Cell Function and Signaling
MCB*4010	[0.50]	Advanced Cell Biology
MCB*4050	[0.50]	Protein and Nucleic Acid Structure
MCB*4500	[1.00]	Research Project in Molecular & Cellular Biology I
MCB*4510	[1.00]	Research Project in Molecular & Cellular Biology
MCB*4600	[0.50]	Topics in Molecular and Cellular Biology
MICR*3230	[0.50]	Immunology
MICR*3330	[0.50]	World of Viruses
MICR*4330	[0.50]	Molecular Virology
MICR*4530	[0.50]	Immunology II
PBIO*3110	[0.50]	Crop Physiology
PBIO*4750	[0.50]	Genetic Engineering of Plants
STAT*2050	[0.50]	Statistics II
TOX*4590	[0.50]	Biochemical Toxicology

- Students must take as part of their program: 0.50 credits from the following list:

PHYS*2030	[0.50]	Biophysics of Excitable Cells
PHYS*2240	[0.50]	Thermal Physics
PHYS*2330	[0.50]	Electricity and Magnetism I
PHYS*2600	[0.50]	General Astronomy
PHYS*3080	[0.50]	Energy

**Credit Summary (20.00 Total Credits)**

4.50 - First year science credits

7.75 - Required science courses semesters 3 - 8

4.50 - Restricted elective (# 1 and # 2 in restricted elective list)

1.00 - Approved Arts and/or Social Science electives

2.25 - Free electives – any approved electives for B.Sc. students

Of the total credits required, students are required to complete 16.00 credits in science of which a minimum of 2.00 credits must be at the 4000 level and an additional 4.00 credits must be at the 3000 or 4000 level.

**Minor (Honours Program)**

A minor in Biochemistry consists of at least 5.00 course credits. The following courses are required:

BIOC*3560	[0.50]	Structure and Function in Biochemistry
BIOC*3570	[0.75]	Analytical Biochemistry
BIOC*4540	[0.75]	Enzymology
CHEM*2480	[0.50]	Analytical Chemistry I
CHEM*2700	[0.50]	Organic Chemistry I
One of:		
MBG*2040	[0.50]	Foundations in Molecular Biology and Genetics
MICR*2420	[0.50]	Introduction to Microbiology

In addition, at least 1.50 credits must be chosen from the following courses, with at least 1.00 credits from the first three courses listed:

BIOC*4520	[0.50]	Metabolic Processes
BIOC*4580	[0.50]	Membrane Biochemistry
MBG*3350	[0.75]	Laboratory Methods in Molecular Biology I
MCB*4050	[0.50]	Protein and Nucleic Acid Structure
MICR*3230	[0.50]	Immunology
MICR*3330	[0.50]	World of Viruses
TOX*4590	[0.50]	Biochemical Toxicology

**Biochemistry (Co-op) (BIOC:C)****Department of Molecular and Cellular Biology, College of Biological Science**

A B.Sc. in Biochemistry offers a multidisciplinary curriculum that gives students broad exposure to the life sciences with specific attention paid to the physical and chemical nature of biomolecular systems. The lab-intensive experience in this program prepares students to pursue post-graduate research opportunities in many different life science related fields. Graduates are also positioned to be successful in obtaining entrance to a number of professional programs, as well as employment in industry and government.

Two Streams are available. Stream A is different from Stream B in that Stream A has a double work term following academic semester 5. The course content of semesters 1-4 is the same as that listed above for the regular Honours Program Major. Students in the Co-op program must also take COOP\*1100 in the second academic semester. The total program requirements, including the selection of electives are also the same.

Students will be expected to undertake their work terms after semester 3 and completion of course CHEM\*2480. Since certain courses must be taken in a different semester from usual, consult your Faculty Co-op Advisor for assistance with course selection.

To graduate from the Co-op program, a minimum of 4 successfully completed work terms is normally required.

This major requires the completion of 20.00 credits as indicated below.

**Stream A****Semester 1 - Fall**

BIOL*1090	[0.50]	Introduction to Molecular and Cellular Biology
CHEM*1040	[0.50]	General Chemistry I
MATH*1080	[0.50]	Elements of Calculus I
PHYS*1080	[0.50]	Physics for Life Sciences

0.50 Arts or Social Science electives

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**Semester 2 - Winter**

BIOL*1070	[0.50]	Discovering Biodiversity
BIOL*1080	[0.50]	Biological Concepts of Health
CHEM*1050	[0.50]	General Chemistry II
COOP*1100	[0.00]	Introduction to Co-operative Education
MATH*2080	[0.50]	Elements of Calculus II
PHYS*1070	[0.50]	Physics for Life Sciences II

**Summer Semester**

No academic semester or work term

**Semester 3 - Fall**

BIOC*2580	[0.50]	Introduction to Biochemistry
CHEM*2480	[0.50]	Analytical Chemistry I
CHEM*2880	[0.50]	Physical Chemistry
MBG*2040	[0.50]	Foundations in Molecular Biology and Genetics

0.50 Arts or Social Science electives

**Winter Semester**

COOP*1000	[0.00]	Co-op Work Term I
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**Semester 4 - Summer**

BIOC*3570	[0.75]	Analytical Biochemistry
CHEM*2700	[0.50]	Organic Chemistry I
MICR*2420	[0.50]	Introduction to Microbiology
STAT*2040	[0.50]	Statistics I

electives or restricted electives to a maximum of 2.75 total credits

**Semester 5 - Fall**

BIOC*3560	[0.50]	Structure and Function in Biochemistry
CHEM*3750	[0.50]	Organic Chemistry II
MCB*2050	[0.50]	Molecular Biology of the Cell
MICR*2430	[0.50]	Methods in Microbial Culture and Physiology

0.50 electives or restricted electives

**Winter Semester**

COOP*2000	[0.00]	Co-op Work Term II
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**Summer Semester**

COOP*3000	[0.00]	Co-op Work Term III
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**Semester 6 - Fall**

MBG*3350	[0.75]	Laboratory Methods in Molecular Biology I
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electives or restricted electives to a maximum of 2.75 total credits

**Semester 7 - Winter**

BIOC*4540	[0.75]	Enzymology
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electives or restricted electives to a maximum of 2.75 total credits

**Summer Semester**

COOP*4000	[0.00]	Co-op Work Term IV
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**Semester 8 - Fall**

2.50 electives or restricted electives

**Restricted Electives**

- Students must take as part of their program: 4.00 credits from the following list, with at least 1.00 of these credits from BIOC\*4520, BIOC\*4580, MCB\*4050.

BIOC*4520	[0.50]	Metabolic Processes
BIOC*4580	[0.50]	Membrane Biochemistry
BIOL*3300	[0.50]	Applied Bioinformatics
BIOM*3200	[1.00]	Biomedical Physiology
MBG*3040	[0.50]	Molecular Biology of the Gene
MBG*3080	[0.50]	Bacterial Genetics
MCB*3010	[0.50]	Dynamics of Cell Function and Signaling
MCB*4010	[0.50]	Advanced Cell Biology
MCB*4050	[0.50]	Protein and Nucleic Acid Structure
MCB*4500	[1.00]	Research Project in Molecular & Cellular Biology I

MCB*4510	[1.00]	Research Project in Molecular & Cellular Biology
MCB*4600	[0.50]	Topics in Molecular and Cellular Biology
MICR*3230	[0.50]	Immunology
MICR*3330	[0.50]	World of Viruses
MICR*4330	[0.50]	Molecular Virology
MICR*4530	[0.50]	Immunology II
PBIO*3110	[0.50]	Crop Physiology
PBIO*4750	[0.50]	Genetic Engineering of Plants
STAT*2050	[0.50]	Statistics II
TOX*4590	[0.50]	Biochemical Toxicology

- Students must take as part of their program: 0.50 credits from the following list:

PHYS*2030	[0.50]	Biophysics of Excitable Cells
PHYS*2240	[0.50]	Thermal Physics
PHYS*2330	[0.50]	Electricity and Magnetism I
PHYS*2600	[0.50]	General Astronomy
PHYS*3080	[0.50]	Energy

**Stream B****Semester 1 - Fall**

BIOL*1090	[0.50]	Introduction to Molecular and Cellular Biology
CHEM*1040	[0.50]	General Chemistry I
MATH*1080	[0.50]	Elements of Calculus I
PHYS*1080	[0.50]	Physics for Life Sciences

0.50 Arts or Social Science electives

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**Semester 2 - Winter**

BIOL*1070	[0.50]	Discovering Biodiversity
BIOL*1080	[0.50]	Biological Concepts of Health
CHEM*1050	[0.50]	General Chemistry II
COOP*1100	[0.00]	Introduction to Co-operative Education
MATH*2080	[0.50]	Elements of Calculus II
PHYS*1070	[0.50]	Physics for Life Sciences II

**Summer Semester**

No academic semester or work term

**Semester 3 - Fall**

BIOC*2580	[0.50]	Introduction to Biochemistry
CHEM*2480	[0.50]	Analytical Chemistry I
CHEM*2880	[0.50]	Physical Chemistry
MBG*2040	[0.50]	Foundations in Molecular Biology and Genetics

0.50 Arts or Social Science electives

**Winter Semester**

COOP*1000	[0.00]	Co-op Work Term I
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**Semester 4 - Summer**

BIOC*3570	[0.75]	Analytical Biochemistry
CHEM*2700	[0.50]	Organic Chemistry I
MICR*2420	[0.50]	Introduction to Microbiology
STAT*2040	[0.50]	Statistics I

electives or restricted electives to a maximum of 2.75 total credits

**Fall Semester**

COOP*2000	[0.00]	Co-op Work Term II
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**Semester 5 - Winter**

BIOC*3560	[0.50]	Structure and Function in Biochemistry
MCB*2050	[0.50]	Molecular Biology of the Cell
MICR*2430	[0.50]	Methods in Microbial Culture and Physiology

1.00 electives or restricted electives

**Summer Semester**

COOP*3000	[0.00]	Co-op Work Term III
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**Semester 6 - Fall**

CHEM*3750	[0.50]	Organic Chemistry II
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2.00 electives or restricted electives

**Semester 7 - Winter**

BIOC*4540	[0.75]	Enzymology
MBG*3350	[0.75]	Laboratory Methods in Molecular Biology I

1.00 electives or restricted electives

**Summer Semester**

COOP*4000	[0.00]	Co-op Work Term IV
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**Semester 8 - Fall**

2.50 electives or restricted electives

**Restricted Electives**

- Students must take as part of their program: 4.00 credits from the following list, with at least 1.00 of these credits from BIOC\*4520, BIOC\*4580, MCB\*4050.

BIOC*4520	[0.50]	Metabolic Processes
BIOC*4580	[0.50]	Membrane Biochemistry
BIOL*3300	[0.50]	Applied Bioinformatics
BIOM*3200	[1.00]	Biomedical Physiology
MBG*3040	[0.50]	Molecular Biology of the Gene
MBG*3080	[0.50]	Bacterial Genetics
MCB*3010	[0.50]	Dynamics of Cell Function and Signaling
MCB*4010	[0.50]	Advanced Cell Biology
MCB*4050	[0.50]	Protein and Nucleic Acid Structure
MCB*4500	[1.00]	Research Project in Molecular & Cellular Biology I

MCB*4510	[1.00]	Research Project in Molecular & Cellular Biology
MCB*4600	[0.50]	Topics in Molecular and Cellular Biology
MICR*3230	[0.50]	Immunology
MICR*3330	[0.50]	World of Viruses
MICR*4330	[0.50]	Molecular Virology
MICR*4530	[0.50]	Immunology II
PBIO*3110	[0.50]	Crop Physiology
PBIO*4750	[0.50]	Genetic Engineering of Plants
STAT*2050	[0.50]	Statistics II
TOX*4590	[0.50]	Biochemical Toxicology

- Students must take as part of their program: 0.50 credits from the following list:

PHYS*2030	[0.50]	Biophysics of Excitable Cells
PHYS*2240	[0.50]	Thermal Physics
PHYS*2330	[0.50]	Electricity and Magnetism I
PHYS*2600	[0.50]	General Astronomy
PHYS*3080	[0.50]	Energy

**Credit Summary (20.00 Total Credits)**

4.50 - First year science credits

7.75 - Required science courses semesters 3 - 8

4.50 - Restricted elective (# 1 and #2 in restricted elective list)

1.00 - Approved Arts and/or Social Science electives

2.25 - Free electives – any approved electives for B.Sc. students

Of the total credits required, students are required to complete 16.00 credits in science of which a minimum of 2.00 credits must be at the 4000 level and an additional 4.00 credits must be at the 3000 or 4000 level.

## Biodiversity (BIOD)

### Department of Integrative Biology, College of Biological Science

The Major in Biodiversity offers a broad education in the diversity and evolution of life while providing a more specialized understanding of biology at the level of the organism. It is the most flexible of the majors offered by the Department of Integrative Biology and as such, it allows students the opportunity to design a customized program around their interests. The major qualifies students for postgraduate work in biodiversity, botany, zoology, and other life sciences and provides a sound science background for students wishing to pursue professional life science degrees or careers in teaching, government service or the private sector.

### Major (Honours Program)

Students may enter this major in Semester 1 or any semester thereafter. A student wishing to declare the major may wish to consult the Faculty Advisor. A minimum total of 20.00 credits are required to complete the major.

#### Semester 1

BIOL*1070	[0.50]	Discovering Biodiversity
CHEM*1040	[0.50]	General Chemistry I
MATH*1080	[0.50]	Elements of Calculus I
PHYS*1080	[0.50]	Physics for Life Sciences

0.50 Arts or Social Science electives

Students lacking Grade 12 or 4U Biology, Chemistry or Physics should follow the revised schedule of study for this major found at [https://www.uoguelph.ca/bsc/revised\\_SS](https://www.uoguelph.ca/bsc/revised_SS)

#### Semester 2

BIOL*1080	[0.50]	Biological Concepts of Health
BIOL*1090	[0.50]	Introduction to Molecular and Cellular Biology
CHEM*1050	[0.50]	General Chemistry II
PHYS*1070	[0.50]	Physics for Life Sciences II

0.50 electives or restricted electives\*

#### Semester 3

BIOC*2580	[0.50]	Introduction to Biochemistry
MBG*2040	[0.50]	Foundations in Molecular Biology and Genetics
ZOO*2090	[0.50]	Vertebrate Structure and Function

1.00 electives or restricted electives\*

#### Semester 4

BIOL*2060	[0.50]	Ecology
BIOL*2400	[0.50]	Evolution
STAT*2230	[0.50]	Biostatistics for Integrative Biology
ZOO*2700	[0.50]	Invertebrate Morphology & Evolution

0.50 electives or restricted electives\*

#### Semester 5

MICR*2420	[0.50]	Introduction to Microbiology
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2.00 electives or restricted electives\*

#### Semester 6

BOT*3710	[0.50]	Plant Diversity and Evolution
ENVS*3090	[0.50]	Insect Diversity and Biology
IBIO*3100	[0.50]	Interpreting Biodiversity I

1.00 electives or restricted electives\*

#### Semester 7

IBIO*4100	[1.00]	Interpreting Biodiversity II
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1.50 electives or restricted electives\*

#### Semester 8

2.50 electives or restricted electives\*

#### \* Restricted Electives

\*The major in Biodiversity is a flexible program that allows students, in consultation with faculty advisors, to pursue their own interests and design a customized program of study. For example, students may wish to select their electives to focus on a particular taxonomic group such as microbes, plants, invertebrates, or vertebrates, and/or one of the three areas of research strength in the Department of Integrative Biology: physiology, ecology, or evolution.

- At least 1.00 Arts and/or Social Science electives are required. The list of approved Arts and Social Science electives for B.Sc. students is available at: [https://www.uoguelph.ca/bsc/Approved\\_electives](https://www.uoguelph.ca/bsc/Approved_electives)
- A minimum of 0.50 credits from:
 

BOT*2100	[0.50]	Life Strategies of Plants
BOT*3050	[0.50]	Plant Functional Ecology
ZOO*3600	[0.50]	Comparative Animal Physiology I
- A minimum of 0.50 credits from:
 

BOT*3310	[0.50]	Plant Growth and Development
BOT*3410	[0.50]	Plant Anatomy

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| ZOO*3050 | [0.50] | Developmental Biology |
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4. A minimum of 0.50 credits from the following list. Biodiversity students are strongly encouraged to take at least one field course. Students should keep in mind that some of these courses have prerequisites that are not required courses for the BIOD major and should plan their programs accordingly.

BIOL*4410	[0.75]	Field Ecology
BIOL*4610	[0.75]	Arctic Ecology
BIOL*4700	[0.50]	Field Biology
BIOL*4710	[0.25]	Field Biology
BIOL*4800	[0.50]	Field Biology
BIOL*4810	[0.25]	Field Biology
IBIO*4500	[1.00]	Research in Integrative Biology I
IBIO*4510	[1.00]	Research in Integrative Biology II
IBIO*4521/2	[2.00]	Thesis in Integrative Biology
ZOO*4170	[0.50]	Experimental Comparative Animal Physiology
ZOO*4300	[0.75]	Marine Biology and Oceanography

Other field or research courses with approval of faculty advisor.

### Credit Summary (20.00 Total Credits)

4.00 - First year science credits

6.50 - Required science courses semesters 3 - 8

1.50 - Restricted elective (# 2, 3 and 4 in restricted elective list)

4.00 - Approved Science electives

1.00 - Arts and/or Social Science electives (# 1 in restricted elective list)

3.00 - Free electives - any approved elective for B.Sc. students.

\*Of the total credits required, students are required to complete 16.00 credits in science of which a minimum of 2.00 credits must be at the 4000 level and an additional 4.00 credits must be at the 3000 or 4000 level.

## Biological and Medical Physics (BMPH)

### Department of Physics, College of Engineering and Physical Sciences

### Major (Honours Program)

The program emphasizes the application of physics to biology and medicine. It provides an excellent background for careers in the expanding interdisciplinary research laboratories of government and industry, as well as a starting point for a career in medical physics. Completion of the program at an appropriate level will qualify a student to pursue post-graduate studies in biophysics, medical physics and related areas of physics.

Since some of the required courses are not offered every semester, students entering the Major in Biological and Medical Physics should plan their program in consultation with the Department of Physics Faculty Advisor.

Students may enter this major in Semester 1 or any semester thereafter. A student wishing to declare the major may wish to consult the Faculty Advisor. This major requires the completion of 20.00 credits as follows:

#### Semester 1

BIOL*1090	[0.50]	Introduction to Molecular and Cellular Biology
CHEM*1040	[0.50]	General Chemistry I
MATH*1160	[0.50]	Linear Algebra I

1.00 credits from: IPS\*1500, or (MATH\*1080, PHYS\*1080) or (MATH\*1200, PHYS\*1080)

\* IPS\*1500 is recommended

Students lacking Grade 12 or 4U Biology, Chemistry or Physics should follow the revised schedule of study for this major found at: [https://www.uoguelph.ca/bsc/revised\\_SS](https://www.uoguelph.ca/bsc/revised_SS)

#### Semester 2

BIOL*1080	[0.50]	Biological Concepts of Health
CHEM*1050	[0.50]	General Chemistry II
CIS*1500	[0.50]	Introduction to Programming

1.00 credits from: IPS\*1510, or (MATH\*2080, PHYS\*1070) or (MATH\*1210, PHYS\*1010)

\* IPS\*1510 is recommended

#### Semester 3

MATH*2200	[0.50]	Advanced Calculus I
MATH*2270	[0.50]	Applied Differential Equations
PHYS*2240	[0.50]	Thermal Physics
PHYS*2330	[0.50]	Electricity and Magnetism I

0.50 Arts or Social Science electives

#### Semester 4

BIOC*2580	[0.50]	Introduction to Biochemistry
PHYS*2030	[0.50]	Biophysics of Excitable Cells
PHYS*2180	[0.50]	Experimental Techniques in Physics
PHYS*2310	[0.50]	Mechanics
PHYS*2340	[0.50]	Electricity and Magnetism II

#### Semester 5

IPS*3000	[0.50]	Science Communication
PHYS*3130	[0.50]	Mathematical Physics

PHYS\*3230 [0.50] Quantum Mechanics I  
1.00 electives \*\*

**Semester 6**

NANO\*3600 [0.50] Computational Methods in Materials Science  
PHYS\*3510 [0.50] Intermediate Laboratory  
PHYS\*4040 [0.50] Quantum Mechanics II  
PHYS\*4540 [0.50] Molecular Biophysics

0.50 electives \*\*

**Semester 7**

PHYS\*3170 [0.50] Radioactivity and Radiation Interactions  
PHYS\*4500 [0.50] Advanced Physics Laboratory

One of:

PHYS\*4001 [0.50] Research in Physics

0.50 electives

1.00 electives \*\*

**Semester 8**

PHYS\*4070 [0.50] Clinical Applications of Physics in Medicine

One of:

PHYS\*4002 [0.50] Research in Physics

0.50 electives \*\*

1.50 electives \*\*

Note: PHYS\*4001/2 will be projects in biological or medical physics, some of which may be in areas outside the [Department of Physics](#).

\*\* A minimum of 1.00 credits in Arts/Social Science is required. In addition, students are required to complete 1.50 credits from either List A or List B as follows:

**List A: Biological Physics stream**

BIOC\*3560 [0.50] Structure and Function in Biochemistry  
BIOC\*4580 [0.50] Membrane Biochemistry  
MBG\*2040 [0.50] Foundations in Molecular Biology and Genetics  
MCB\*2050 [0.50] Molecular Biology of the Cell  
MCB\*4050 [0.50] Protein and Nucleic Acid Structure  
NANO\*4100 [0.50] Biological Nanomaterials  
PHYS\*3000 [0.50] Optics: Fundamentals and Applications

**List B: Medical Physics stream**

BIOM\*2000 [0.50] Concepts in Human Physiology  
ENGG\*4040 [0.50] Medical Imaging Modalities  
MBG\*2040 [0.50] Foundations in Molecular Biology and Genetics  
PATH\*3610 [0.50] Principles of Disease  
PHYS\*3000 [0.50] Optics: Fundamentals and Applications  
PHYS\*4130 [0.50] Subatomic Physics

**Credit Summary (20.00 Total Credits)**

5.00 - First year science credits

9.50 - Required science courses semesters 3 – 8

1.50 - Restricted electives (from List A OR List B)

1.00 - Arts and/or Social Science electives

3.00 - Free electives - any approved elective for B.Sc. students.

Of the total credits required, students are required to complete 16.00 credits in science of which 2.00 credits must be at the 4000 level and an additional 4.00 credits must be at the 3000 or 4000 level.

**Biological and Medical Physics (Co-op) (BMPH:C)**

Department of Physics, College of Engineering and Physical Sciences

**Major (Honours Program)**

The program emphasizes the application of physics to biology and medicine. It provides an excellent background for careers in the expanding interdisciplinary research laboratories of government and industry, as well as a starting point for a career in medical physics. Completion of the program at an appropriate level will qualify a student to pursue post-graduate studies in biophysics, medical physics and related areas of physics.

Since some of the required courses are not offered every semester, students entering the Major in Biological and Medical Physics (Co-op) should plan their program in consultation with the Department of Physics Faculty Advisor.

To graduate from the Co-op program a minimum of 4 successfully completed work terms is normally required. Students are eligible to participate in a maximum two (2) work terms commencing in the summer and must follow the academic work schedule as outlined in the Co-operative Education & Career Services website: <https://www.recruitguelp.ca/cecs/>.

This major requires the completion of 20.00 credits as follows:

**Semester 1 - Fall**

BIOL\*1090 [0.50] Introduction to Molecular and Cellular Biology  
CHEM\*1040 [0.50] General Chemistry I  
MATH\*1160 [0.50] Linear Algebra I

1.00 credits from: IPS\*1500, or (MATH\*1080, PHYS\*1080) or (MATH\*1200, PHYS\*1080)

\* IPS\*1500 is recommended

Students lacking Grade 12 or 4U Biology, Chemistry or Physics should follow the revised schedule of study for this major found at: [https://www.uoguelph.ca/bsc/revised\\_SS](https://www.uoguelph.ca/bsc/revised_SS)

**Semester 2 - Winter**

BIOL\*1080 [0.50] Biological Concepts of Health  
CHEM\*1050 [0.50] General Chemistry II  
CIS\*1500 [0.50] Introduction to Programming

1.00 credits from: IPS\*1510, or (MATH\*2080, PHYS\*1070) or (MATH\*1210, PHYS\*1010)

\* IPS\*1510 is recommended

**Semester 3 - Fall**

COOP\*1100 [0.00] Introduction to Co-operative Education  
MATH\*2200 [0.50] Advanced Calculus I  
MATH\*2270 [0.50] Applied Differential Equations  
PHYS\*2240 [0.50] Thermal Physics  
PHYS\*2330 [0.50] Electricity and Magnetism I

0.50 Arts or Social Science electives

**Semester 4 - Winter**

BIOC\*2580 [0.50] Introduction to Biochemistry  
PHYS\*2030 [0.50] Biophysics of Excitable Cells  
PHYS\*2180 [0.50] Experimental Techniques in Physics  
PHYS\*2310 [0.50] Mechanics  
PHYS\*2340 [0.50] Electricity and Magnetism II

**Summer Semester**

COOP\*1000 [0.00] Co-op Work Term I ++

**Semester 5 - Fall**

PHYS\*3130 [0.50] Mathematical Physics  
PHYS\*3230 [0.50] Quantum Mechanics I

1.50 electives \*\*\*

**Winter Semester**

COOP\*2000 [0.00] Co-op Work Term II ++  
(8-month work term in conjunction with COOP\*3000)

**Summer Semester**

COOP\*3000 [0.00] Co-op Work Term III ++  
(8-month work term in conjunction with COOP\*2000)

**Semester 6 - Fall**

IPS\*3000 [0.50] Science Communication  
PHYS\*3170 [0.50] Radioactivity and Radiation Interactions

1.50 electives \*\*\*

**Semester 7 - Winter**

NANO\*3600 [0.50] Computational Methods in Materials Science  
PHYS\*3510 [0.50] Intermediate Laboratory  
PHYS\*4040 [0.50] Quantum Mechanics II  
PHYS\*4540 [0.50] Molecular Biophysics

0.50 electives \*\*\*

**Summer Semester**

COOP\*4000 [0.00] Co-op Work Term IV ++

**Fall Semester**

COOP\*5000 [0.00] Co-op Work Term V ++

**Semester 8 - Winter**

PHYS\*4070 [0.50] Clinical Applications of Physics in Medicine  
PHYS\*4500 [0.50] Advanced Physics Laboratory

1.50 electives \*\*\*

++Four work terms are required for the completion of the co-op degree. It is also necessary that there be at least one work term in each of Fall, Winter and Summer semesters. Therefore, one of the summer work terms could be missed and the student would still graduate successfully. Whether the student completes four or five work terms, a report is required for each work term completed. Contact the co-op faculty advisor for further details.

Students are required to complete 1.50 credits from either List A or List B as follows:

**List A: Biological Physics stream**

BIOC\*3560 [0.50] Structure and Function in Biochemistry  
BIOC\*4580 [0.50] Membrane Biochemistry  
MBG\*2040 [0.50] Foundations in Molecular Biology and Genetics  
MCB\*2050 [0.50] Molecular Biology of the Cell  
MCB\*4050 [0.50] Protein and Nucleic Acid Structure  
NANO\*4100 [0.50] Biological Nanomaterials  
PHYS\*3000 [0.50] Optics: Fundamentals and Applications

**List B: Medical Physics stream**

BIOM\*2000 [0.50] Concepts in Human Physiology

ENGG*4040	[0.50]	Medical Imaging Modalities
MBG*2040	[0.50]	Foundations in Molecular Biology and Genetics
PATH*3610	[0.50]	Principles of Disease
PHYS*3000	[0.50]	Optics: Fundamentals and Applications
PHYS*4130	[0.50]	Subatomic Physics

**Credit Summary (20.00 Total Credits)**

5.00 - First year science credits

9.50 - Required science courses semesters 3 – 8

1.50 - Restricted electives (from List A OR List B)

1.00 - Arts and/or Social Science electives

3.00 - Free electives - any approved elective for B.Sc. students.

Of the total credits required, students are required to complete 16.00 credits in science of which 2.00 credits must be at the 4000 level and an additional 4.00 credits must be at the 3000 or 4000 level.

**Biological and Pharmaceutical Chemistry (BPCH)**

Department of Chemistry, College of Engineering and Physical Sciences

**Major (Honours Program)**

Students may enter this major in Semester 1 or any semester thereafter. A student wishing to declare the major may wish to consult the Faculty Advisor. This major will require the completion of 20.00 credits as indicated below:

**Semester 1**

BIOL*1090	[0.50]	Introduction to Molecular and Cellular Biology
CHEM*1040	[0.50]	General Chemistry I
IPS*1500	[1.00]	Integrated Mathematics and Physics I

0.50 Arts or Social Science electives

Students who are lacking one 4U /grade 12 course in Biology, Chemistry or Physics must take the equivalent introductory course in first semester. The required first-year science courses in that subject should be completed according to the revised schedule of studies available at: [https://www.uoguelph.ca/bsc/revised\\_SS](https://www.uoguelph.ca/bsc/revised_SS)

**Semester 2**

CHEM*1050	[0.50]	General Chemistry II
IPS*1510	[1.00]	Integrated Mathematics and Physics II

One of

BIOL*1070	[0.50]	Discovering Biodiversity
BIOL*1080	[0.50]	Biological Concepts of Health

0.50 Arts or Social Science electives

**Semester 3**

BIOC*2580	[0.50]	Introduction to Biochemistry
CHEM*2060	[0.50]	Structure and Bonding
CHEM*2880	[0.50]	Physical Chemistry

One of

MBG*2040	[0.50]	Foundations in Molecular Biology and Genetics
STAT*2040	[0.50]	Statistics I

0.50 electives or restricted electives

**Semester 4**

CHEM*2070	[0.50]	Structure and Spectroscopy
CHEM*2700	[0.50]	Organic Chemistry I
CHEM*2400	[0.75]	Analytical Chemistry I
MICR*2420	[0.50]	Introduction to Microbiology

One of

MBG*2040	[0.50]	Foundations in Molecular Biology and Genetics
STAT*2040	[0.50]	Statistics I

**Semester 5**

BIOC*3570	[0.75]	Analytical Biochemistry
CHEM*3750	[0.50]	Organic Chemistry II

One of:

CHEM*3640	[0.50]	Chemistry of the Elements I **
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0.50 electives or restricted electives \*

One of:

TOX*3300	[0.50]	Analytical Toxicology ***
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0.50 electives or restricted electives \*

Electives or restricted electives to a maximum of 2.75 total credits in this semester\*

\*\* CHEM\*3640 is a prerequisite for CHEM\*3650

\*\*\* TOX\*3300 is a substitute for CHEM\*3430 in Semester 6

**Semester 6**

Select either Option A or Option B

**Option A (at Guelph)**

BIOC*3560	[0.50]	Structure and Function in Biochemistry
CHEM*3430	[0.50]	Analytical Chemistry II: Instrumental Analysis
CHEM*3650	[0.50]	Chemistry of the Elements II
CHEM*3760	[0.50]	Organic Chemistry III

0.50 electives or restricted electives \*

**Option B (at Seneca)**

2.50 credits from:

XSEN*3030	[0.50]	Pharmacology and Applied Toxicology
XSEN*3040	[0.50]	Occupational Health and Chemistry
XSEN*3060	[0.50]	Pharmaceutical Analysis - Advanced
XSEN*3070	[0.50]	Pharmaceutical Product Formulations
XSEN*3090	[0.50]	Biopharmaceuticals
XSEN*3200	[0.50]	Pharmaceutical Organic Chemistry
XSEN*3210	[0.50]	Introduction to Pharmaceutical Manufacturing

Note: All XSEN courses are taught at the Seneca@York campus of Seneca College in Toronto.

**Semester 7**

One of:

CHEM*4730	[0.50]	Synthetic Organic Chemistry
CHEM*4740	[0.50]	Topics in Bio-Organic Chemistry

2.00 electives or restricted electives \*

**Semester 8**

2.50 electives or restricted electives \*

**\* Restricted Electives**

\*\*Students are advised to pay particular attention to pre-requisite requirements when choosing individual courses, and seek advice as needed.

1. 0.50 credits from the following:

MCB*2050	[0.50]	Molecular Biology of the Cell
TOX*2000	[0.50]	Principles of Toxicology

2. A minimum of 1.50 credits at the 4000 level and 2.50 credits at the 3000/4000 level from the following list:

BIOC*3560	[0.50]	Structure and Function in Biochemistry
BIOC*4520	[0.50]	Metabolic Processes
BIOC*4540	[0.75]	Enzymology **
BIOC*4580	[0.50]	Membrane Biochemistry
BIOM*3090	[0.50]	Principles of Pharmacology **
BIOM*3200	[1.00]	Biomedical Physiology
BIOM*4090	[0.50]	Pharmacology **
CHEM*3360	[0.50]	Environmental Chemistry and Toxicology
CHEM*3440	[0.50]	Analytical Chemistry III: Analytical Instrumentation
CHEM*3640	[0.50]	Chemistry of the Elements I
CHEM*3650	[0.50]	Chemistry of the Elements II **
CHEM*3760	[0.50]	Organic Chemistry III
CHEM*4010	[0.50]	Chemistry and Industry
CHEM*4400	[0.50]	Advanced Topics in Analytical Chemistry
CHEM*4630	[0.50]	Bioinorganic Chemistry **
CHEM*4720	[0.50]	Organic Reactivity **
CHEM*4730	[0.50]	Synthetic Organic Chemistry **
CHEM*4740	[0.50]	Topics in Bio-Organic Chemistry
CHEM*4900	[1.00]	Chemistry Research Project I **
CHEM*4910	[1.00]	Chemistry Research Project II **
MBG*3040	[0.50]	Molecular Biology of the Gene **
MBG*3350	[0.75]	Laboratory Methods in Molecular Biology I **
MCB*4050	[0.50]	Protein and Nucleic Acid Structure **
MICR*3230	[0.50]	Immunology
NUTR*3210	[0.50]	Fundamentals of Nutrition
PATH*3610	[0.50]	Principles of Disease
TOX*4590	[0.50]	Biochemical Toxicology **
XSEN*3030	[0.50]	Pharmacology and Applied Toxicology
XSEN*3040	[0.50]	Occupational Health and Chemistry
XSEN*3060	[0.50]	Pharmaceutical Analysis - Advanced
XSEN*3070	[0.50]	Pharmaceutical Product Formulations
XSEN*3090	[0.50]	Biopharmaceuticals
XSEN*3200	[0.50]	Pharmaceutical Organic Chemistry
XSEN*3210	[0.50]	Introduction to Pharmaceutical Manufacturing

**Credit Summary (20.00 Total Credits)**

4.00 - First year science credits

6.50 - Required science courses semesters 3 – 8

5.00 - Restricted electives (#1 and 2 in restricted electives list)

0.50 - Approved Science electives

1.00 - Arts and/or Social Science electives

3.00 - Free electives - any approved elective for B.Sc. students. (could be less if restricted electives do not count as science)

Of the total credits required, students are required to complete 16.00 credits in science of which 2.00 credits must be at the 4000 level and an additional 4.00 credits must be at the 3000 or 4000 level.

**Biological and Pharmaceutical Chemistry (Co-op) (BPCH:C)**

Department of Chemistry, College of Engineering and Physical Sciences

**Major (Honours Program)**

Students may enter this major in Semester 1 or any semester thereafter. A student wishing to declare the major may wish to consult the Faculty Advisor. This major will require the completion of 20.00 credits as indicated below:

**Semester 1 - Fall**

BIOL*1090	[0.50]	Introduction to Molecular and Cellular Biology
CHEM*1040	[0.50]	General Chemistry I
IPS*1500	[1.00]	Integrated Mathematics and Physics I

0.50 Arts or Social Science electives

Students who are lacking one 4U/grade 12 course in Biology, Chemistry or Physics must take the equivalent introductory course in first semester. The required first-year science courses in that subject should be completed according to the revised schedule of studies available at: [https://www.uoguelph.ca/bsc/revised\\_SS](https://www.uoguelph.ca/bsc/revised_SS)

**Semester 2 - Winter**

CHEM*1050	[0.50]	General Chemistry II
COOP*1100	[0.00]	Introduction to Co-operative Education
IPS*1510	[1.00]	Integrated Mathematics and Physics II

One of

BIOL*1070	[0.50]	Discovering Biodiversity
BIOL*1080	[0.50]	Biological Concepts of Health

0.50 Arts or Social Science electives

**Semester 3 - Fall**

BIOC*2580	[0.50]	Introduction to Biochemistry
CHEM*2060	[0.50]	Structure and Bonding
CHEM*2400	[0.75]	Analytical Chemistry I
CHEM*2880	[0.50]	Physical Chemistry

electives or restricted electives to a maximum of 2.75 total credits in this semester\*

**Winter Semester**

COOP*1000	[0.00]	Co-op Work Term I
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**Semester 4 - Summer**

CHEM*2070	[0.50]	Structure and Spectroscopy
CHEM*2700	[0.50]	Organic Chemistry I
CHEM*3430	[0.50]	Analytical Chemistry II: Instrumental Analysis
STAT*2040	[0.50]	Statistics I

0.50 electives or restricted electives \*

**Semester 5 - Fall**

BIOC*3570	[0.75]	Analytical Biochemistry
CHEM*3750	[0.50]	Organic Chemistry II

One of:

CHEM*3640	[0.50]	Chemistry of the Elements I **
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0.50 electives or restricted electives \*

electives or restricted electives to a maximum of 2.75 total credits in this semester\*

\*\* CHEM\*3640 is a prerequisite for CHEM\*3650

**Semester 6 - Winter**

Select either Option A or Option B

**Option A (at Guelph)**

BIOC*3560	[0.50]	Structure and Function in Biochemistry
CHEM*3650	[0.50]	Chemistry of the Elements II
CHEM*3760	[0.50]	Organic Chemistry III

1.00 electives or restricted electives \*

**Option B (at Seneca)**

2.50 credits from:

XSEN*3030	[0.50]	Pharmacology and Applied Toxicology
XSEN*3040	[0.50]	Occupational Health and Chemistry
XSEN*3060	[0.50]	Pharmaceutical Analysis - Advanced
XSEN*3070	[0.50]	Pharmaceutical Product Formulations
XSEN*3090	[0.50]	Biopharmaceuticals
XSEN*3200	[0.50]	Pharmaceutical Organic Chemistry
XSEN*3210	[0.50]	Introduction to Pharmaceutical Manufacturing

Note: All XSEN courses are taught at the Seneca@York campus of Seneca College in Toronto.

**Summer Semester**

COOP*2000	[0.00]	Co-op Work Term II
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**Fall Semester**

COOP*3000	[0.00]	Co-op Work Term III
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**Semester 7 - Winter**

2.50 electives or restricted electives \*

**Summer Semester**

COOP*4000	[0.00]	Co-op Work Term IV
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**Semester 8 - Fall**

One of:

CHEM*4730	[0.50]	Synthetic Organic Chemistry
CHEM*4740	[0.50]	Topics in Bio-Organic Chemistry

2.00 electives or restricted electives \*

**\* Restricted Electives**

\*\*Students are advised to pay particular attention to pre-requisite requirements when choosing individual courses, and seek advice as needed.

- MICR\*2420 [0.50] Introduction to Microbiology
- 1.00 credits from the following:
 

MBG*2040	[0.50]	Foundations in Molecular Biology and Genetics
MCB*2050	[0.50]	Molecular Biology of the Cell
TOX*2000	[0.50]	Principles of Toxicology
- A minimum of 1.50 credits at the 4000 level and 2.50 credits at the 3000/4000 level from the following list:

BIOC*3560	[0.50]	Structure and Function in Biochemistry
BIOC*4520	[0.50]	Metabolic Processes
BIOC*4540	[0.75]	Enzymology **
BIOC*4580	[0.50]	Membrane Biochemistry
BIOM*3090	[0.50]	Principles of Pharmacology **
BIOM*3200	[1.00]	Biomedical Physiology
BIOM*4090	[0.50]	Pharmacology **
CHEM*3360	[0.50]	Environmental Chemistry and Toxicology
CHEM*3440	[0.50]	Analytical Chemistry III: Analytical Instrumentation
CHEM*3640	[0.50]	Chemistry of the Elements I
CHEM*3650	[0.50]	Chemistry of the Elements II **
CHEM*3760	[0.50]	Organic Chemistry III
CHEM*4010	[0.50]	Chemistry and Industry
CHEM*4400	[0.50]	Advanced Topics in Analytical Chemistry
CHEM*4630	[0.50]	Bioinorganic Chemistry **
CHEM*4720	[0.50]	Organic Reactivity **
CHEM*4730	[0.50]	Synthetic Organic Chemistry **
CHEM*4740	[0.50]	Topics in Bio-Organic Chemistry
CHEM*4900	[1.00]	Chemistry Research Project I **
CHEM*4910	[1.00]	Chemistry Research Project II **
MBG*3040	[0.50]	Molecular Biology of the Gene **
MBG*3350	[0.75]	Laboratory Methods in Molecular Biology I **
MCB*4050	[0.50]	Protein and Nucleic Acid Structure **
MICR*3230	[0.50]	Immunology
NUTR*3210	[0.50]	Fundamentals of Nutrition
PATH*3610	[0.50]	Principles of Disease
TOX*4590	[0.50]	Biochemical Toxicology **
XSEN*3030	[0.50]	Pharmacology and Applied Toxicology
XSEN*3040	[0.50]	Occupational Health and Chemistry
XSEN*3060	[0.50]	Pharmaceutical Analysis - Advanced
XSEN*3070	[0.50]	Pharmaceutical Product Formulations
XSEN*3090	[0.50]	Biopharmaceuticals
XSEN*3200	[0.50]	Pharmaceutical Organic Chemistry
XSEN*3210	[0.50]	Introduction to Pharmaceutical Manufacturing

**Credit Summary (20.00 Total Credits)**

4.00 - First year science credits

6.00 - Required science courses semesters 3 – 8

5.50 - Restricted electives (#1 and #2 in restricted electives list)

0.50 - Approved Science electives

1.00 - Arts and/or Social Science electives

3.00 - Free electives - any approved elective for B.Sc. students. (could be less if restricted electives do not count as science)

Of the total credits required, students are required to complete 16.00 credits in science of which 2.00 credits must be at the 4000 level and an additional 4.00 credits must be at the 3000 or 4000 level.

**Biological Science (BIOS)**

College of Biological Science

**Major (Honours Program)**

The Biological Science major offers the opportunity to study a wide range of topics within biological science. The major is one of the most flexible within the B.Sc. After the core sciences in first and second year, students can tailor the degree to create a major all their own. With the wide breadth of courses offered, students can choose to focus their studies in one area of biological science or create a unique skill set and combination of courses not currently offered in any one of our majors. Students can also add a minor in either an area of science or arts and social science.

With this flexibility, students in the Biological Science major are encouraged to seek out study abroad opportunities through the Centre for International Programs. With a high number of elective spaces within the major, students can incorporate a study abroad and still meet the degree requirements within four years. Students who wish to pursue this option should start researching and planning in semesters 3 and 4.

Students may enter this major in Semester 1 or any semester thereafter. A student wishing to declare the major may wish to consult the Faculty Advisor. This major will require the completion of 20.00 credits as indicated below:

### Schedule of Studies

#### Semester 1

BIOL*1090	[0.50]	Introduction to Molecular and Cellular Biology
CHEM*1040	[0.50]	General Chemistry I
MATH*1080	[0.50]	Elements of Calculus I
PHYS*1080	[0.50]	Physics for Life Sciences

0.50 Arts or Social Science electives

Students lacking Grade 12 or 4U Biology, Chemistry or Physics should follow the revised schedule of study for this major found at [https://www.uoguelph.ca/bsc/revised\\_SS](https://www.uoguelph.ca/bsc/revised_SS)

#### Semester 2

BIOL*1070	[0.50]	Discovering Biodiversity
BIOL*1080	[0.50]	Biological Concepts of Health
CHEM*1050	[0.50]	General Chemistry II
PHYS*1070	[0.50]	Physics for Life Sciences II

0.50 Arts or Social Science electives

#### Semester 3

BIOL*2400	[0.50]	Evolution
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One of:

BIOC*2580	[0.50]	Introduction to Biochemistry
MBG*2040	[0.50]	Foundations in Molecular Biology and Genetics

1.00 electives or restricted electives \*

0.50 Arts or Social Science elective

#### Semester 4

STAT*2040	[0.50]	Statistics I
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One of:

BIOC*2580	[0.50]	Introduction to Biochemistry
MBG*2040	[0.50]	Foundations in Molecular Biology and Genetics

1.00 electives or restricted electives \*

0.50 Arts or Social Science elective

#### Semester 5

2.50 credits of electives or restricted electives\*

Students are encouraged to consider study abroad options†

#### Semester 6

2.50 credits of electives or restricted electives\*

Students are encouraged to consider study abroad options†

#### Semester 7 and 8

2.50 credits of electives or restricted electives\*

†Students interested in studying abroad need to apply in the year prior to going abroad. Students need to contact the Centre for International Programs to confirm admission requirements and to submit an application. A study abroad requires approval from the appropriate individuals and is pending available space at the host institution.

#### \* Restricted Electives

\*\* **Note:** some courses may require additional prerequisites.

- A minimum of 2.00 credits of Arts and/or Social Science electives are required. The list of approved Arts and Social Science electives for B.Sc. students is available at: [https://www.uoguelph.ca/bsc/Approved\\_electives](https://www.uoguelph.ca/bsc/Approved_electives)
- A minimum of 0.50 credits in Ecology:
 

BIOL*2060	[0.50]	Ecology
BOT*3050	[0.50]	Plant Functional Ecology
- A minimum of 0.50 credits in Mathematical or Computational Science:
 

CIS*1000	[0.50]	Introduction to Computer Applications
CIS*1200	[0.50]	Introduction to Computing
MATH*2080	[0.50]	Elements of Calculus II
STAT*2050	[0.50]	Statistics II
- A minimum of 0.50 credits in Physiology:
 

BIOM*3200	[1.00]	Biomedical Physiology
BOT*2100	[0.50]	Life Strategies of Plants
HK*2810	[0.50]	Human Physiology I - Concepts and Principles
ZOO*3600	[0.50]	Comparative Animal Physiology I **
- 5.50 additional Biological Science credits of which 4.00 must be at the 3000 or 4000 level. The list of approved science electives is posted at <http://www.bsc.uoguelph.ca/>

#### Credit Summary (20.00 Total Credits)

4.00 - First year science core

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- 3.50 - Required science courses semesters 3 - 8 (# 2, 3 and 4 in restricted elective list)  
 5.50 - Approved Biological Science electives of which 4.00 must be 3000/4000 level (# 5 in restricted elective list)  
 3.00 - Approved Science electives of which 2.00 must be 3000/4000 level\* May include 1 of BIOL\*1020, CHEM\*1060  
 2.00 - Approved Arts and/or Social Science electives  
 2.00 - Electives  
 \*Of the total credits required, students are required to complete 16.00 credits in science of which a minimum of 2.00 credits must be at the 4000 level and an additional 4.00 credits must be at the 3000 or 4000 level.

### Biology (BIOL)

#### College of Biological Science

#### Minor (Honours Program)

A minor in Biology consists of a minimum of 5.00 credits including the following courses:

BIOL*1070	[0.50]	Discovering Biodiversity
BIOL*1090	[0.50]	Introduction to Molecular and Cellular Biology
MBG*2040	[0.50]	Foundations in Molecular Biology and Genetics

One of:

BIOL*2060	[0.50]	Ecology
BOT*3050	[0.50]	Plant Functional Ecology

Of the additional 3.00 credits approved science electives, students must complete a minimum of 1.50 credits at the 3000 or 4000 level, from courses offered by the following departments: Human Health and Nutritional Sciences, Integrative Biology and Molecular and Cellular Biology. BIOL\*1080 is a prerequisite for some CBS courses. This minor is restricted to students registered in B.Sc. majors in the Physical Sciences, B.A.S., and the B.A. degree programs.

### Bio-Medical Science (BIOM)

#### Department of Biomedical Sciences and Department of Human Health and Nutritional Sciences

This joint program of the [Department of Human Health and Nutritional Sciences](#) and the [Department of Biomedical Sciences](#) provides students with a broad and integrated foundational overview of human and animal health through the study of function (biochemistry and physiology), structure (anatomy and histology), and paraclinical sciences (epidemiology and pharmacology). The program prepares students well for more advanced studies or applied training in many health-related fields including clinical practice, business, government, research and education. Through the use of electives, students may structure a program emphasizing aspects of health and disease. For more information on recommended electives contact the Faculty Advisor of the major.

In addition, this program is designed to partially meet the current requirements for entry into medical schools in Ontario (a student interested in meeting these requirements should check the present admission requirements for the medical schools); as well as entry into the DVM program of the [Ontario Veterinary College](#).

Live animals and/or animal tissues are used for teaching purposes in some courses in the Bio-Medical Science Major. This must be accepted by students admitted to the program. All animals are protected under the Animals for Research Act of Ontario (1980), the Guidelines for the Care and Use of Experimental Animals ([Canadian Council on Animal Care](#)), and the [Animal Care Policies](#) of the University of Guelph.

Students who are admitted into the Bio-Medical Science major from high school must meet additional requirements to continue in the major. Continuation from first to second year is based on the cumulative average in the first two semesters (total of 5.00 credits), including the eight core courses as prescribed by the Schedule of Studies (see below). Students with a minimum average of 75% average will be guaranteed continuation in this major. For students with a 70-74.9% average, continuation will be competitive based on available spaces. Students with an average below 70% will be changed to the Biological Science major. Students may subsequently change to another B.Sc. major of their choice. B.Sc. students who wish to declare the specialization at the end of or beyond first year must apply directly to the Department of Biomedical Sciences by the last day of classes in the winter semester and meet the same requirements specified above.

Admission to the major will be based on the cumulative average in the two semesters (total of 5.00 credits) preceding application to the major (normally fall and winter). Acceptance will be competitive based on available spaces. Students with an average below 70% will not be considered for admission to the major. All decisions will be made at the end of June.

### Major (Honours Program)

A minimum of 20.00 credits is required.

#### Semester 1

BIOL*1080	[0.50]	Biological Concepts of Health
CHEM*1040	[0.50]	General Chemistry I
MATH*1080	[0.50]	Elements of Calculus I
PHYS*1080	[0.50]	Physics for Life Sciences

0.50 electives or restricted electives

Students lacking Grade 12 or 4U Biology, Chemistry or Physics should follow the revised schedule of study for this major found at: [https://www.uoguelph.ca/bsc/revised\\_SS](https://www.uoguelph.ca/bsc/revised_SS)

### Semester 2

BIOL*1070	[0.50]	Discovering Biodiversity
BIOL*1090	[0.50]	Introduction to Molecular and Cellular Biology
CHEM*1050	[0.50]	General Chemistry II
PHYS*1070	[0.50]	Physics for Life Sciences II

0.50 electives or restricted electives

### Semester 3 (see admission statement above)

BIOC*2580	[0.50]	Introduction to Biochemistry
MBG*2040	[0.50]	Foundations in Molecular Biology and Genetics
STAT*2040	[0.50]	Statistics I

1.00 electives or restricted electives

### Semester 4

MCB*2050	[0.50]	Molecular Biology of the Cell
NUTR*3210	[0.50]	Fundamentals of Nutrition

One of:

BIOM*3200	[1.00]	Biomedical Physiology
HK*2810	[0.50]	Human Physiology I - Concepts and Principles

Electives or restricted electives to a maximum of 2.50 total credits in this semester.

**Note:** If HK\*2810 is selected, then HK\*3810 must be taken in Semester 5.

### Semester 5

BIOC*3560	[0.50]	Structure and Function in Biochemistry
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Electives or restricted electives to a maximum of 2.75 total credits in this semester. BIOM\*3210 is recommended.

**Note:** As part of the electives or restricted electives students must select HK\*3810 in semester 5 if HK\*2810 was selected in semester 4.

### Semester 6

BIOM*3090	[0.50]	Principles of Pharmacology
PATH*3610	[0.50]	Principles of Disease
POPM*3240	[0.50]	Epidemiology

Electives or restricted electives to a maximum of 2.75 total credits in this semester.

### Semester 7

2.50 electives or restricted electives

### Semester 8

2.50 electives or restricted electives\*

### Restricted Electives

1. Anatomy Elective - [1 of (BIOM\*3010, BIOM\*3040), HK\*3401/2, HK\*3501/2]
2. Immunology Elective - ANSC\*4650 or MICR\*3230
3. Advanced Study Electives - 2.00 credits from BIOM\*4030, BIOM\*4050, BIOM\*4070, BIOM\*4090, BIOM\*4110, BIOM\*4150, BIOM\*4180, BIOM\*4300, BIOM\*4500, BIOM\*4510, BIOM\*4521/2, HK\*4070, HK\*4230, HK\*4340, HK\*4360, HK\*4371/2, HK\*4441/2, HK\*4460, NUTR\*4320, NUTR\*4360, NUTR\*4510, TOX\*4000
4. At least 2.00 credits of Arts and/or Social Science Electives are required. The approved list of Arts and Social Science Electives for B.Sc. students is available at: [https://www.uoguelph.ca/bsc/Approved\\_electives](https://www.uoguelph.ca/bsc/Approved_electives).

### Credit Summary (20.00 Total Credits)

4.00 - First year science credits

5.75 - Required science courses semesters 3 – 8 (with HK 2810,3810) or 5.50 (with BIOM 3200)

4.00 - Restricted elective (with HK 3401/2 or HK 3501/2) 3.75 (with BIOM 3010, BIOM 3040) (Restricted elective #1, #2 and #3)

2.25 – 2.75 Approved Science electives depending on which anatomy and physiology courses are completed above.

2.00 - Arts and/or Social Science electives (# 4 in restricted elective list)

2.00 - Free electives - any approved elective for B.Sc. students.

Of the total credits required, students are required to complete 16.00 credits in science of which 2.00 credits must be at the 4000 level and an additional 4.00 credits must be at the 3000 or 4000 level.

### Biomedical Toxicology (BTOX)

**Interdisciplinary Program, Departments of Biomedical Sciences, Chemistry, School of Environmental Sciences, Molecular and Cellular Biology**

### Major (Honours Program)

Students may enter this major in Semester 1 or any semester thereafter. A student wishing to declare the major may wish to consult the Faculty Advisor. A minimum of 20.00 credits are required for graduation.

### Semester 1

BIOL*1090	[0.50]	Introduction to Molecular and Cellular Biology
CHEM*1040	[0.50]	General Chemistry I
MATH*1080	[0.50]	Elements of Calculus I
PHYS*1080	[0.50]	Physics for Life Sciences

0.50 Arts or Social Science electives

Students lacking Grade 12 or 4U Biology, Chemistry or Physics should follow the revised schedule of study for this major found at: [https://www.uoguelph.ca/bsc/revised\\_SS](https://www.uoguelph.ca/bsc/revised_SS)

### Semester 2

BIOL*1080	[0.50]	Biological Concepts of Health
CHEM*1050	[0.50]	General Chemistry II
PHYS*1070	[0.50]	Physics for Life Sciences II
STAT*2040	[0.50]	Statistics I

0.50 Arts or Social Science electives

### Semester 3

BIOC*2580	[0.50]	Introduction to Biochemistry
MBG*2040	[0.50]	Foundations in Molecular Biology and Genetics
TOX*2000	[0.50]	Principles of Toxicology

1.00 elective or Arts or social Science electives

### Semester 4

BIOM*3200	[1.00]	Biomedical Physiology
CHEM*2480	[0.50]	Analytical Chemistry I
CHEM*2700	[0.50]	Organic Chemistry I

0.50 electives or restricted electives\*

### Semester 5

BIOC*3560	[0.50]	Structure and Function in Biochemistry
MCB*2050	[0.50]	Molecular Biology of the Cell
NUTR*3210	[0.50]	Fundamentals of Nutrition
TOX*3300	[0.50]	Analytical Toxicology

0.50 electives or restricted electives\*

### Semester 6

BIOM*3090	[0.50]	Principles of Pharmacology
PATH*3610	[0.50]	Principles of Disease
TOX*3360	[0.50]	Environmental Chemistry and Toxicology

One of:

BIOM*3040	[0.75]	Medical Embryology
MBG*3350	[0.75]	Laboratory Methods in Molecular Biology I *

Electives or restricted electives to a maximum of 2.75 total credits in this semester

### Semester 7

NUTR*4510	[0.50]	Toxicology, Nutrition and Food
TOX*4000	[0.50]	Medical Toxicology
TOX*4590	[0.50]	Biochemical Toxicology

1.00 electives or restricted electives\*

### Semester 8

BIOM*4090	[0.50]	Pharmacology
TOX*4100	[0.50]	Toxicological Pathology
TOX*4200	[0.50]	Topics in Toxicology

1.00 electives or restricted electives\*

### \* Restricted Electives

At least 1.50 credits must be completed from the following list of allowable courses.

\*\*Students are advised to pay particular attention to pre-requisite requirements when choosing individual courses, and seek advice as needed.

ANSC*4650	[0.50]	Comparative Immunology
BIOM*3040	[0.75]	Medical Embryology
BIOM*4050	[0.50]	Biomedical Aspects of Aging
BIOM*4070	[0.50]	Biomedical Histology
BIOM*4150	[0.50]	Cancer Biology
CHEM*3750	[0.50]	Organic Chemistry II
CHEM*3760	[0.50]	Organic Chemistry III
CHEM*4740	[0.50]	Topics in Bio-Organic Chemistry
MBG*3040	[0.50]	Molecular Biology of the Gene
MBG*3350	[0.75]	Laboratory Methods in Molecular Biology I
MBG*4270	[0.50]	DNA Replication, Recombination and Repair
MCB*4010	[0.50]	Advanced Cell Biology
MICR*3230	[0.50]	Immunology
NUTR*4090	[0.50]	Functional Foods and Nutraceuticals
NUTR*4320	[0.50]	Nutrition and Metabolic Control of Disease
PATH*3040	[0.50]	Principles of Parasitology
POPM*3240	[0.50]	Epidemiology
POPM*4040	[0.50]	Epidemiology of Food-borne Diseases
STAT*2050	[0.50]	Statistics II
STAT*3510	[0.50]	Environmental Risk Assessment
TOX*4900	[1.00]	Toxicology Research Project I
TOX*4910	[1.00]	Toxicology Research Project II

### Credit Summary (20.00 Total Credits)

4.00 - First year science credits

10.75 - Required science courses semesters 3 – 8

1.50 - Restricted electives

1.50 - Arts and/or Social Science electives



2.25 - Free electives - any approved elective for B.Sc. students

Of the total credits required, students are required to complete 16.00 credits in science of which 2.00 credits must be at the 4000 level and an additional 4.00 credits must be at the 3000 or 4000 level.

### Biomedical Toxicology (Co-op) (BTOX:C)

#### Interdisciplinary Program, Departments of Biomedical Sciences, Chemistry, School of Environmental Sciences, Molecular and Cellular Biology

To graduate from the Co-op program a minimum of 3 successfully completed work terms (COOP\*1000, COOP\*2000, COOP\*3000) is normally required.

#### Major (Honours Program)

A minimum of 20.00 credits are required for graduation.

##### Semester 1 - Fall

BIOL*1090	[0.50]	Introduction to Molecular and Cellular Biology
CHEM*1040	[0.50]	General Chemistry I
MATH*1080	[0.50]	Elements of Calculus I
PHYS*1080	[0.50]	Physics for Life Sciences

0.50 Arts or Social Science electives

Students lacking Grade 12 or 4U Biology, Chemistry or Physics should follow the revised schedule of study for this major found at: [https://www.uoguelph.ca/bsc/revised\\_SS](https://www.uoguelph.ca/bsc/revised_SS)

##### Semester 2 - Winter

BIOL*1080	[0.50]	Biological Concepts of Health
CHEM*1050	[0.50]	General Chemistry II
COOP*1100	[0.00]	Introduction to Co-operative Education
PHYS*1070	[0.50]	Physics for Life Sciences II
STAT*2040	[0.50]	Statistics I

0.50 Arts or Social Science electives

##### Semester 3 - Fall

BIOC*2580	[0.50]	Introduction to Biochemistry
CHEM*2480	[0.50]	Analytical Chemistry I
MBG*2040	[0.50]	Foundations in Molecular Biology and Genetics
TOX*2000	[0.50]	Principles of Toxicology

0.50 Arts or Social Science electives

##### Winter Semester

COOP*1000	[0.00]	Co-op Work Term I
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##### Summer Semester

COOP*2000	[0.00]	Co-op Work Term II
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##### Semester 4 - Fall

BIOC*3560	[0.50]	Structure and Function in Biochemistry
MCB*2050	[0.50]	Molecular Biology of the Cell
NUTR*3210	[0.50]	Fundamentals of Nutrition
TOX*3300	[0.50]	Analytical Toxicology

0.50 electives or restricted electives

##### Semester 5 - Winter

CHEM*2700	[0.50]	Organic Chemistry I
BIOM*3200	[1.00]	Biomedical Physiology
TOX*3360	[0.50]	Environmental Chemistry and Toxicology

0.50 electives or restricted electives\*

##### Summer Semester

COOP*3000	[0.00]	Co-op Work Term III
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##### Fall Semester

COOP*4000	[0.00]	Co-op Work Term IV
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##### Semester 6 - Winter

BIOM*3090	[0.50]	Principles of Pharmacology
PATH*3610	[0.50]	Principles of Disease

One of:

BIOM*3040	[0.75]	Medical Embryology
MBG*3350	[0.75]	Laboratory Methods in Molecular Biology I*

Electives or restricted electives to a maximum of 2.75 total credits in this semester

##### Semester 7 - Fall

NUTR*4510	[0.50]	Toxicology, Nutrition and Food
TOX*4000	[0.50]	Medical Toxicology
TOX*4590	[0.50]	Biochemical Toxicology

One of:

BIOM*4090	[0.50]	Pharmacology
TOX*4900	[1.00]	Toxicology Research Project I

1.00 electives or restricted electives\*

##### Semester 8- Winter

BIOM*4090	[0.50]	Pharmacology (if not taken in Semester 7)
TOX*4100	[0.50]	Toxicological Pathology
TOX*4200	[0.50]	Topics in Toxicology

electives or restricted electives\* to 2.50 credits

### \* Restricted Electives

At least 1.50 credits must be completed from the following list of allowable courses.

\*\*Students are advised to pay particular attention to pre-requisite requirements when choosing individual courses, and seek advice as needed.

ANSC*4650	[0.50]	Comparative Immunology
BIOM*3040	[0.75]	Medical Embryology
BIOM*4050	[0.50]	Biomedical Aspects of Aging
BIOM*4070	[0.50]	Biomedical Histology
BIOM*4150	[0.50]	Cancer Biology
CHEM*3750	[0.50]	Organic Chemistry II
CHEM*3760	[0.50]	Organic Chemistry III
CHEM*4740	[0.50]	Topics in Bio-Organic Chemistry
MBG*3040	[0.50]	Molecular Biology of the Gene
MBG*3350	[0.75]	Laboratory Methods in Molecular Biology I
MBG*4270	[0.50]	DNA Replication, Recombination and Repair
MCB*4010	[0.50]	Advanced Cell Biology
MICR*3230	[0.50]	Immunology
NUTR*4090	[0.50]	Functional Foods and Nutraceuticals
NUTR*4320	[0.50]	Nutrition and Metabolic Control of Disease
PATH*3040	[0.50]	Principles of Parasitology
POPM*3240	[0.50]	Epidemiology
POPM*4040	[0.50]	Epidemiology of Food-borne Diseases
STAT*2050	[0.50]	Statistics II
STAT*3510	[0.50]	Environmental Risk Assessment
TOX*4900	[1.00]	Toxicology Research Project I
TOX*4910	[1.00]	Toxicology Research Project II

### Credit Summary (20.00 Total Credits)

4.00 - First year science credits

10.75 - Required science courses semesters 3 – 8

1.50 - Restricted electives

1.50 - Arts and/or Social Science electives

2.25 - Free electives - any approved elective for B.Sc. students

Of the total credits required, students are required to complete 16.00 credits in science of which 2.00 credits must be at the 4000 level and an additional 4.00 credits must be at the 3000 or 4000 level.

### Biotechnology (BIOT)

Department of Molecular and Cellular Biology, College of Biological Science

#### Minor (Honours Program)

A minimum of 5.00 credits is required including:

BIOC*3560	[0.50]	Structure and Function in Biochemistry
MBG*2040	[0.50]	Foundations in Molecular Biology and Genetics
MICR*2420	[0.50]	Introduction to Microbiology
MICR*2430	[0.50]	Methods in Microbial Culture and Physiology

0.50 credits from:

ENGG*2660	[0.50]	Biological Engineering Systems I
ENGG*3830	[0.50]	Bio-Process Engineering
FOOD*2410	[0.50]	Introduction to Food Processing
FOOD*2420	[0.50]	Introduction to Food Microbiology
FOOD*2620	[0.50]	Food Engineering Principles

1.00 credits from:

ECON*1050	[0.50]	Introductory Microeconomics
ECON*1100	[0.50]	Introductory Macroeconomics
ECON*2100	[0.50]	Economic Growth and Environmental Quality
ECON*2310	[0.50]	Intermediate Microeconomics
ECON*2410	[0.50]	Intermediate Macroeconomics
MCS*1000	[0.50]	Introductory Marketing

A minimum of 1.50 credits from:

ANSC*4050	[0.50]	Biotechnology in Animal Science
BIOC*4540	[0.75]	Enzymology
BIOL*3300	[0.50]	Applied Bioinformatics
FOOD*3270	[0.50]	Industrial Microbiology
MBG*3660	[0.50]	Genomics
MBG*4240	[0.50]	Applied Molecular Genetics in Medicine and Biotechnology
MCB*4050	[0.50]	Protein and Nucleic Acid Structure
MICR*3230	[0.50]	Immunology
MICR*4280	[0.50]	Microbial Ecology
PBIO*3750	[0.50]	Plant Tissue Culture
PBIO*4750	[0.50]	Genetic Engineering of Plants

### Business Economics (BECN)

Department of Economics and Finance, College of Business and Economics

Interdisciplinary study in Business Economics is offered as a minor in the honours program. Students in this program will be counselled by the Department of Economics and Finance. It is possible for students to pursue a more intensive program in the area of business and economics; see the heading Economics (ECON) or Mathematical Economics (MAEC) in the B.A. degree and the heading Management Economics (MEF) in the B.Comm. degree.

### Minor (Honours Program)

A minimum of 5.00 credits is required, including:

ACCT*1220	[0.50]	Introductory Financial Accounting
ACCT*2230	[0.50]	Management Accounting
ECON*1050	[0.50]	Introductory Microeconomics *
ECON*1100	[0.50]	Introductory Macroeconomics
ECON*2310	[0.50]	Intermediate Microeconomics
ECON*2410	[0.50]	Intermediate Macroeconomics
ECON*2560	[0.50]	Theory of Finance

One of:

IPS*1500	[1.00]	Integrated Mathematics and Physics I
MATH*1030	[0.50]	Business Mathematics
MATH*1080	[0.50]	Elements of Calculus I
MATH*1200	[0.50]	Calculus I

One of:

ECON*2740	[0.50]	Economic Statistics
PSYC*1010	[0.50]	Making Sense of Data in Psychological Research
SOAN*2120	[0.50]	Introductory Methods
STAT*2040	[0.50]	Statistics I
STAT*2060	[0.50]	Statistics for Business Decisions
STAT*2080	[0.50]	Introductory Applied Statistics I
STAT*2120	[0.50]	Probability and Statistics for Engineers

One of:

ECON*3660	[0.50]	Economics of Equity Markets
ECON*4400	[0.50]	Economics of Organizations and Corporate Governance
ENGG*3240	[0.50]	Engineering Economics
FARE*3310	[0.50]	Operations Management
HROB*2090	[0.50]	Individuals and Groups in Organizations
MCS*1000	[0.50]	Introductory Marketing
MCS*3040	[0.50]	Business and Consumer Law
MGMT*3320	[0.50]	Financial Management

\* FARE\*1040 and FARE\*1400 may replace this course if it is required for the major.

### Chemical Physics (CHPY)

Administered by the Office of the Dean, College of Engineering and Physical Sciences on behalf of the Department of Chemistry and the Department of Physics

#### Major (Honours Program)

Students may enter this major in Semester 1 or any semester thereafter. A student wishing to declare the major may wish to consult the Faculty Advisor. A minimum of 20.00 credits is required. At least 1.00 credits must be from Arts and/or Social Science courses.

##### Semester 1

CHEM*1040	[0.50]	General Chemistry I
IPS*1500	[1.00]	Integrated Mathematics and Physics I
MATH*1160	[0.50]	Linear Algebra I

One of:

BIOL*1070	[0.50]	Discovering Biodiversity
BIOL*1080	[0.50]	Biological Concepts of Health
BIOL*1090	[0.50]	Introduction to Molecular and Cellular Biology

Students who are lacking one 4U/grade 12 course in Biology, Chemistry or Physics must take the equivalent introductory course in first semester. The required first-year science courses in that subject should be completed according to the revised schedule of studies available at: [https://www.uoguelph.ca/bsc/revised\\_SS](https://www.uoguelph.ca/bsc/revised_SS)

##### Semester 2

CHEM*1050	[0.50]	General Chemistry II
CIS*1500	[0.50]	Introduction to Programming
IPS*1510	[1.00]	Integrated Mathematics and Physics II

One of:

BIOL*1070	[0.50]	Discovering Biodiversity
BIOL*1080	[0.50]	Biological Concepts of Health
BIOL*1090	[0.50]	Introduction to Molecular and Cellular Biology

##### Semester 3

CHEM*2060	[0.50]	Structure and Bonding
MATH*2200	[0.50]	Advanced Calculus I
MATH*2270	[0.50]	Applied Differential Equations
PHYS*2330	[0.50]	Electricity and Magnetism I

0.50 Arts or Social Science electives

##### Semester 4

CHEM*2070	[0.50]	Structure and Spectroscopy
CHEM*2480	[0.50]	Analytical Chemistry I

PHYS*2180	[0.50]	Experimental Techniques in Physics
PHYS*2310	[0.50]	Mechanics
PHYS*2340	[0.50]	Electricity and Magnetism II

##### Semester 5

CHEM*3860	[0.50]	Quantum Chemistry
PHYS*3130	[0.50]	Mathematical Physics
PHYS*3230	[0.50]	Quantum Mechanics I

One of:

CHEM*2820	[0.50]	Thermodynamics and Kinetics
PHYS*2240	[0.50]	Thermal Physics

One of:

IPS*3000	[0.50]	Science Communication
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0.50 electives

##### Semester 6

CHEM*3430	[0.50]	Analytical Chemistry II: Instrumental Analysis
NANO*3600	[0.50]	Computational Methods in Materials Science
PHYS*3000	[0.50]	Optics: Fundamentals and Applications
PHYS*4040	[0.50]	Quantum Mechanics II

One of:

CHEM*3870	[0.50]	Molecular Spectroscopy
CHEM*4880	[0.50]	Topics in Advanced Physical Chemistry

##### Semester 7

CHEM*3440	[0.50]	Analytical Chemistry III: Analytical Instrumentation
PHYS*4120	[0.50]	Atomic and Molecular Physics
PHYS*4240	[0.50]	Statistical Physics II

One of:

PHYS*4001	[0.50]	Research in Physics +
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0.50 electives +

##### Semester 8

One of:

CHEM*3870	[0.50]	Molecular Spectroscopy
CHEM*4880	[0.50]	Topics in Advanced Physical Chemistry

One of:

CHEM*4900	[1.00]	Chemistry Research Project I +
PHYS*4002		and 0.50 electives

One of:

IPS*3000	[0.50]	Science Communication
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0.50 electives +

0.50 electives

+ Students must complete either (PHYS\*4001, PHYS\*4002 in semester 7 and 8) or

(CHEM\*4900 in semester 8).

+ **One of CHEM\*3870 or CHEM\*4880 is required for graduation.**

##### Credit Summary (20.00 Total Credits)

5.00 - First year science credits  
 11.50 - Required science courses semesters 3 – 8  
 1.00 - Arts and/or Social Science electives  
 2.50 - Free electives - any approved elective for B.Sc. students  
 Of the total credits required, students are required to complete 16.00 credits in science of which 2.00 credits must be at the 4000 level and an additional 4.00 credits must be at the 3000 or 4000 level.

### Chemical Physics (Co-op) (CHPY:C)

Administered by the Office of the Dean, College of Engineering and Physical Sciences on behalf of the Department of Chemistry and the Department of Physics

#### Major (Honours Program)

A minimum of 20.00 credits is required. At least Students are eligible to participate in a maximum two (2) work terms commencing in the summer and must follow the academic work schedule as outlined in the Co-operative Education & Career Services website: <https://www.recrutguelp.ca/cecs/>.

##### Semester 1 - Fall

CHEM*1040	[0.50]	General Chemistry I
IPS*1500	[1.00]	Integrated Mathematics and Physics I
MATH*1160	[0.50]	Linear Algebra I

One of:

BIOL*1070	[0.50]	Discovering Biodiversity
BIOL*1080	[0.50]	Biological Concepts of Health
BIOL*1090	[0.50]	Introduction to Molecular and Cellular Biology

Students who are lacking one 4U/grade 12 course in Biology, Chemistry or Physics must take the equivalent introductory course in first semester. The required first-year science courses in that subject should be completed according to the revised schedule of studies available at: [https://www.uoguelph.ca/bsc/revised\\_SS](https://www.uoguelph.ca/bsc/revised_SS)

##### Semester 2 - Winter

CHEM*1050	[0.50]	General Chemistry II
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CIS*1500	[0.50]	Introduction to Programming
IPS*1510	[1.00]	Integrated Mathematics and Physics II
One of:		
BIOL*1070	[0.50]	Discovering Biodiversity
BIOL*1080	[0.50]	Biological Concepts of Health
BIOL*1090	[0.50]	Introduction to Molecular and Cellular Biology

**Semester 3 - Fall**

CHEM*2060	[0.50]	Structure and Bonding
COOP*1100	[0.00]	Introduction to Co-operative Education
MATH*2200	[0.50]	Advanced Calculus I
MATH*2270	[0.50]	Applied Differential Equations
PHYS*2330	[0.50]	Electricity and Magnetism I

0.50 Arts or Social Science electives

**Semester 4 - Winter**

CHEM*2070	[0.50]	Structure and Spectroscopy
CHEM*2480	[0.50]	Analytical Chemistry I
PHYS*2180	[0.50]	Experimental Techniques in Physics
PHYS*2310	[0.50]	Mechanics
PHYS*2340	[0.50]	Electricity and Magnetism II

**Summer Semester**

COOP*1000	[0.00]	Co-op Work Term I ++
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**Fall Semester**

COOP*2000	[0.00]	Co-op Work Term II ++
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**Semester 5 - Winter**

CHEM*3430	[0.50]	Analytical Chemistry II: Instrumental Analysis
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One of:

CHEM*3870	[0.50]	Molecular Spectroscopy +
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0.50 electives \*

One of:

CIS*2500	[0.50]	Intermediate Programming
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0.50 electives \*

1.00 electives\*

**Summer Semester**

COOP*3000	[0.00]	Co-op Work Term III ++
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**Semester 6 - Fall**

CHEM*3860	[0.50]	Quantum Chemistry
IPS*3000	[0.50]	Science Communication
PHYS*3130	[0.50]	Mathematical Physics
PHYS*3230	[0.50]	Quantum Mechanics I

One of:

CHEM*2820	[0.50]	Thermodynamics and Kinetics
PHYS*2240	[0.50]	Thermal Physics

**Winter Semester**

COOP*4000	[0.00]	Co-op Work Term IV ++ (8-month work term in conjunction with COOP*5000)
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**Summer Semester**

COOP*5000	[0.00]	Co-op Work Term V ++ (8-month work term in conjunction with COOP*4000)
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**Semester 7\*\* - Fall**

CHEM*3440	[0.50]	Analytical Chemistry III: Analytical Instrumentation
PHYS*4240	[0.50]	Statistical Physics II

One of:

CHEM*3640	[0.50]	Chemistry of the Elements I
CHEM*3750	[0.50]	Organic Chemistry II

0.50 electives \*

1.00 electives \*

**Semester 8\*\* - Winter**

NANO*3600	[0.50]	Computational Methods in Materials Science
PHYS*3000	[0.50]	Optics: Fundamentals and Applications
PHYS*4040	[0.50]	Quantum Mechanics II

One of:

CHEM*3870	[0.50]	Molecular Spectroscopy +
CHEM*4880	[0.50]	Topics in Advanced Physical Chemistry +

0.50 electives \*

0.50 electives \*

\* A minimum of 1.00 credits of Arts/Social Sciences electives is required for completion of this program.

\*\* A minimum of 2.00 credits in science courses at the 4000 level is required for graduation.

+ One of CHEM\*3870 or CHEM\*4880 is required for graduation.

++ Four work terms are required for the completion of the co-op degree. It is also necessary that there be at least one work term in each of Fall, Winter and Summer semesters. Therefore, one of the summer work terms could be missed and the student would still graduate successfully. Whether the student completes four or five work terms, a report is required for each work term completed. Contact the co-op faculty advisor for further details.

**Credit Summary (20.00 Total Credits)**

5.00 - First year science credits

10.50 - Required science courses semesters 3 – 8

0.50 – Approved science electives

1.00 - Arts and/or Social Science electives

3.00 - Free electives - any approved elective for B.Sc. students.

Of the total credits required, students are required to complete 16.00 credits in science of which 2.00 credits must be at the 4000 level and an additional 4.00 credits must be at the 3000 or 4000 level.

**Chemistry (CHEM)****Department of Chemistry, College of Engineering and Physical Sciences****Major (Honours Program)**

Students may enter this major in Semester 1 or any semester thereafter. A student wishing to declare the major may wish to consult the Faculty Advisor. The major will require the completion of 20.00 credits as indicated below:

**Semester 1**

BIOL*1090	[0.50]	Introduction to Molecular and Cellular Biology
CHEM*1040	[0.50]	General Chemistry I
IPS*1500	[1.00]	Integrated Mathematics and Physics I

0.50 Arts or Social Science electives

Students who are lacking one 4U /grade 12 course in Biology, Chemistry or Physics must take the equivalent introductory course in first semester. The required first-year science courses in that subject should be completed according to the revised schedule of studies available at: [https://www.uoguelph.ca/bsc/revised\\_SS](https://www.uoguelph.ca/bsc/revised_SS)

**Semester 2**

CHEM*1050	[0.50]	General Chemistry II
IPS*1510	[1.00]	Integrated Mathematics and Physics II
MATH*1160	[0.50]	Linear Algebra I

One of

BIOL*1070	[0.50]	Discovering Biodiversity
BIOL*1080	[0.50]	Biological Concepts of Health

**Semester 3**

BIOC*2580	[0.50]	Introduction to Biochemistry
CHEM*2060	[0.50]	Structure and Bonding
CHEM*2400	[0.75]	Analytical Chemistry I
MATH*2270	[0.50]	Applied Differential Equations

Electives to a maximum of 2.75 total credits in this semester \*

**Semester 4**

CHEM*2070	[0.50]	Structure and Spectroscopy
CHEM*2700	[0.50]	Organic Chemistry I
CHEM*3430	[0.50]	Analytical Chemistry II: Instrumental Analysis

1.00 electives\* or restricted electives\*\*

**Semester 5**

CHEM*2820	[0.50]	Thermodynamics and Kinetics
CHEM*3640	[0.50]	Chemistry of the Elements I
CHEM*3750	[0.50]	Organic Chemistry II
CHEM*3860	[0.50]	Quantum Chemistry

0.50 electives\*

**Semester 6**

CHEM*3650	[0.50]	Chemistry of the Elements II
CHEM*3760	[0.50]	Organic Chemistry III

1.50 electives\* or restricted electives\*\*

**Semester 7 and 8**

CHEM*3440	[0.50]	Analytical Chemistry III: Analytical Instrumentation
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3.00 Chemistry or Biochemistry\*\*

1.50 electives\*

\*selection of electives is subject to the following:

- At least 1.00 credits must be in the Arts & Social Sciences.
- Approval of the Faculty Advisor must be obtained for the selection of courses not listed as restrictive electives.
- Options for an "Area of Focus" or a minor are available. Subject areas include Biochemistry, Computing and Information Science, Earth Sciences, Environmental Sciences, Mathematical Sciences, and Physics. Please consult with your Faculty Advisor for more detail.

\*\*3.00 credits from the 3000/4000 level as follows:

- 1.50 comprising of (CHEM\*3870 or CHEM\*4880), (CHEM\*4620 or CHEM\*4630), (CHEM\*4720 or CHEM\*4730)
- 1.50 chosen from CHEM\*3870, CHEM\*4010, CHEM\*4400, BIOC\*4520, BIOC\*4540, BIOC\*4580, CHEM\*4620, CHEM\*4630, CHEM\*4720, CHEM\*4730, CHEM\*4740, CHEM\*4880, CHEM\*4900, CHEM\*4910, MCB\*4050, MCB\*4080, TOX\*4590

**Note:**

1. Some of these courses may have to be taken in Semester 6.
2. Some of these courses are offered only in alternate years, and some have additional prerequisites for which the student must plan ahead, with the assistance of the faculty advisor.

**Credit Summary (20.00 Total Credits)**

4.50 - First year science credits

7.25 - Required science courses semesters 3 – 8

3.00 - Restricted electives (#1 and 2 in restricted electives list)

1.25 – Approved science electives

1.00 - Arts and/or Social Science electives

3.00 - Free electives - any approved elective for B.Sc. students.

Of the total credits required, students are required to complete 16.00 credits in science of which 2.00 credits must be at the 4000 level and an additional 4.00 credits must be at the 3000 or 4000 level.

**Minor (Honours Program)**

A minor in Chemistry consists of at least 5.00 credits including the following courses:

CHEM\*1040 [0.50] General Chemistry I

CHEM\*1050 [0.50] General Chemistry II

Of the additional 4.00 credits, students will select Chemistry courses (CHEM) at the 2000 level or above including a minimum of 1.00 credits at the 3000 or 4000 level. BIOC\*2580 can be counted towards this specialization

**Chemistry (Co-op) (CHEM:C)****Department of Chemistry, College of Engineering and Physical Sciences****Major (Honours Program)**

The major will require the completion of 20.00 credits as indicated below.

The course content of semesters 1 to 3 is the same as listed in the regular Honours Program Major.

To graduate from the Co-op program a minimum of 4 successfully completed work terms is normally required.

**Semester 1 - Fall**

BIOL\*1090 [0.50] Introduction to Molecular and Cellular Biology

CHEM\*1040 [0.50] General Chemistry I

IPS\*1500 [1.00] Integrated Mathematics and Physics I

0.50 Arts or Social Science electives

Students who are lacking one 4U/grade 12 course in Biology, Chemistry or Physics must take the equivalent introductory course in first semester. The required first-year science courses in that subject should be completed according to the revised schedule of studies available at: [https://www.uoguelph.ca/bsc/revised\\_SS](https://www.uoguelph.ca/bsc/revised_SS)

**Semester 2 - Winter**

CHEM\*1050 [0.50] General Chemistry II

COOP\*1100 [0.00] Introduction to Co-operative Education

IPS\*1510 [1.00] Integrated Mathematics and Physics II

MATH\*1160 [0.50] Linear Algebra I

One of

BIOL\*1070 [0.50] Discovering Biodiversity

BIOL\*1080 [0.50] Biological Concepts of Health

**Semester 3 - Fall**

BIOC\*2580 [0.50] Introduction to Biochemistry

CHEM\*2060 [0.50] Structure and Bonding

CHEM\*2400 [0.75] Analytical Chemistry I

MATH\*2270 [0.50] Applied Differential Equations

Electives to a maximum of 2.75 total credits in this semester \*

**Winter Semester**

COOP\*1000 [0.00] Co-op Work Term I

**Semester 4 - Summer**

CHEM\*2070 [0.50] Structure and Spectroscopy

CHEM\*2700 [0.50] Organic Chemistry I

CHEM\*3430 [0.50] Analytical Chemistry II: Instrumental Analysis

1.00 electives \*

**Semester 5 - Fall**

CHEM\*2820 [0.50] Thermodynamics and Kinetics

CHEM\*3640 [0.50] Chemistry of the Elements I

CHEM\*3750 [0.50] Organic Chemistry II

CHEM\*3860 [0.50] Quantum Chemistry

0.50 electives \*

**Semester 6 - Winter**

CHEM\*3650 [0.50] Chemistry of the Elements II

CHEM\*3760 [0.50] Organic Chemistry III

1.50 electives\* or restricted electives\*\*

**Summer Semester**

COOP\*2000 [0.00] Co-op Work Term II

**Fall Semester**

COOP\*3000 [0.00] Co-op Work Term III

**Semester 7 - Winter**

2.50 electives\* or restricted electives\*\*

**Summer Semester**

COOP\*4000 [0.00] Co-op Work Term IV

**Semester 8 - Fall**

CHEM\*3440 [0.50] Analytical Chemistry III: Analytical Instrumentation

2.00 electives\* or restricted electives\*\*

\* selection of electives is subject to the following:

1. At least 1.00 credits must be in the Arts & Social Sciences.
2. Approval of the Faculty Advisor must be obtained for the selection of courses not listed as restrictive electives.
3. Options for an "Area of Focus" or a minor are available. Subject areas include Biochemistry, Computing and Information Science, Earth Sciences, Environmental Sciences, Mathematical Sciences, and Physics. Please consult with your Faculty Advisor for more detail.

\*\* 3.00 credits from the 3000/4000 level as follows:

1. 1.50 comprising of (CHEM\*3870 or CHEM\*4880), (CHEM\*4620 or CHEM\*4630), (CHEM\*4720 or CHEM\*4730)
2. 1.50 chosen from CHEM\*3870, CHEM\*4010, CHEM\*4400, BIOC\*4520, BIOC\*4540, BIOC\*4580, CHEM\*4620, CHEM\*4630, CHEM\*4720, CHEM\*4730, CHEM\*4740, CHEM\*4880, CHEM\*4900, CHEM\*4910, MCB\*4050, MCB\*4080, TOX\*4590

**Note:**

Some of these courses are offered only in alternate years, and some have additional prerequisites for which the student must plan ahead, with the assistance of the faculty advisor.

**Credit Summary (20.00 Total Credits)**

4.50 - First year science credits

7.25 - Required science courses semesters 3 – 8

3.00 - Restricted electives (#1 and 2 in restricted electives list)

1.25 – Approved science electives

1.00 - Arts and/or Social Science electives

3.00 - Free electives - any approved elective for B.Sc. students.

Of the total credits required, students are required to complete 16.00 credits in science of which 2.00 credits must be at the 4000 level and an additional 4.00 credits must be at the 3000 or 4000 level.

**Computing and Information Science (CIS)****School of Computer Science, College of Engineering and Physical Sciences**

A knowledge of Computing is a complement to most areas of study. The Minor in Computing and Information Science is directed towards students who wish to supplement their studies in another area with some experience in Computing. Students interested in pursuing a Major in Computing can do so through the Bachelor of Computing Degree Program.

**Minor (Honours Program)**

CIS\*1500 [0.50] Introduction to Programming

CIS\*1910 [0.50] Discrete Structures in Computing I

CIS\*2170 [0.75] User Interface Design

CIS\*2430 [0.50] Object Oriented Programming

CIS\*2500 [0.50] Intermediate Programming

CIS\*2520 [0.50] Data Structures

CIS\*2750 [0.75] Software Systems Development and Integration

0.50 additional credits from CIS courses at the 2000 level or above

0.50 additional credits from CIS courses at the 3000 level or above

**Ecology (ECOL)****Department of Integrative Biology, College of Biological Science**

This minor provides a foundation in the principles and methods of ecology. It introduces the knowledge and skills necessary for work in conservation, environmental science and education, resource management, ecological consulting, or nature interpretation.

**Minor (Honours Program)**

A minimum of 5.00 credits is required to complete the minor, which must include:

BIOL*2060	[0.50]	Ecology
BIOL*3010	[0.50]	Laboratory and Field Work in Ecology
BIOL*3060	[0.50]	Populations, Communities & Ecosystems
BIOL*4110	[1.00]	Ecological Methods
BIOL*4120	[0.50]	Evolutionary Ecology

Of the remaining 2.00 required credits, students will select from the following:

At least one of:

BIOL*2400	[0.50]	Evolution
BIOL*3020	[0.50]	Population Genetics

At least one of:

BOT*2100	[0.50]	Life Strategies of Plants
ZOO*2090	[0.50]	Vertebrate Structure and Function

One of:

GEOG*1220	[0.50]	Human Impact on the Environment
GEOG*1300	[0.50]	Introduction to the Biophysical Environment

**Environmental Biology (ENVB)****School of Environmental Sciences, Ontario Agricultural College**

The honours B.Sc. program in Environmental Biology combines a broad education in the life sciences with a more specialized understanding of the biological consequences of interactions between humans and the environment. This major prepares students for post-graduate work in environmental biology and related life sciences and provides a strong foundation for students wishing to pursue careers in teaching, government service or the private sector.

**Major (Honours Program)**

Students may enter this major in Semester I or any semester thereafter. A student wishing to declare the major may wish to consult the Faculty Advisor. This major requires the completion of 20.00 credits. A minimum of 16.00 of these 20.00 must be science credits.

**Semester 1**

BIOL*1070	[0.50]	Discovering Biodiversity
CHEM*1040	[0.50]	General Chemistry I
MATH*1080	[0.50]	Elements of Calculus I
PHYS*1080	[0.50]	Physics for Life Sciences

0.50 Arts or Social Science elective

Students lacking Grade 12 or 4U Biology, Chemistry or Physics should follow the revised schedule of study for this major found at: [https://www.uoguelph.ca/bsc/revised\\_SS](https://www.uoguelph.ca/bsc/revised_SS)

**Semester 2**

BIOL*1090	[0.50]	Introduction to Molecular and Cellular Biology
CHEM*1050	[0.50]	General Chemistry II
PHYS*1070	[0.50]	Physics for Life Sciences II

One of:

CIS*1200	[0.50]	Introduction to Computing
CIS*1500	[0.50]	Introduction to Programming
MATH*2080	[0.50]	Elements of Calculus II
STAT*2040	[0.50]	Statistics I

0.50 Arts or Social Science elective

**Semester 3**

BIOC*2580	[0.50]	Introduction to Biochemistry
ENVS*2330	[0.50]	Current Issues in Ecosystem Science and Biodiversity
STAT*2040	[0.50]	Statistics I (if not taken in semester 2)
TOX*2000	[0.50]	Principles of Toxicology

0.50 electives or restricted electives chosen from lists A, B, C and/or D (or 1.00 if STAT\*2040 was taken in semester 2)

**Semester 4**

BIOL*2060	[0.50]	Ecology
MBG*2040	[0.50]	Foundations in Molecular Biology and Genetics

1.50 electives or restricted electives chosen from lists A, B, C and/or D

**Semester 5**

2.50 electives or restricted electives chosen from lists A, B, C and/or D (at least 1.00 restricted electives must be selected, including at least one ENVS course)

Students are encouraged to take (ENVS\*3410 and ENVS\*3420) or ENVS\*3430 in Semesters 5 and 6.

**Semester 6**

BIOL*2400	[0.50]	Evolution
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2.00 electives or restricted electives chosen from lists A, B, C and/or D

**Semester 7**

2.50 electives or restricted electives chosen from lists A, B, C and/or D

Students contemplating graduate studies are encouraged to take ENVS\*4410 in semester 7 and ENVS\*4420 in semester 8, or ENVS\*4430 in either semester 7 or 8.

**Semester 8**

2.50 electives or restricted electives chosen from lists A, B, C and/or D

**Restricted Electives**

1. A minimum of 1.00 credits of Approved Arts and Social Science electives
2. Select 4.50 credits from the following lists of restricted electives during Semesters 3-8. 1.00 credits must be completed in each of lists A, B and C. Of the total 4.50 credits at least 1.00 of these credits must be from ENVS courses.

Students should note that some restricted electives (marked by asterisks \*\*) require other restricted electives as prerequisites. Students should consult the most recent undergraduate calendar for specific requirements.

**List A - Environment & Agriculture**

Minimum of 1.00 credits from the following list:

AGR*2050	[0.50]	Agroecology
ENVS*2040	[0.50]	Plant Health and the Environment
ENVS*2340	[0.50]	Current Issues in Agriculture and Landscape Management
ENVS*3040	[0.50]	Natural Chemicals in the Environment
ENVS*3210	[0.50]	Plant Pathology
ENVS*3310	[0.50]	Soil Biodiversity and Ecosystem Function **
ENVS*4100	[0.50]	Integrated Management of Invasive Insect Pests **
MICR*3220	[0.50]	Plant Microbiology
PBIO*4750	[0.50]	Genetic Engineering of Plants **

**List B - Impacts of Pollution on Living Organisms**

Minimum of 1.00 credits from the following list:

BIOL*3450	[0.50]	Introduction to Aquatic Environments
BIOL*4350	[0.50]	Limnology of Natural and Polluted Waters **
BIOL*4610	[0.75]	Arctic Ecology
ENVS*3010	[0.50]	Climate Change Biology
ENVS*3020	[0.50]	Pesticides and the Environment
ENVS*3290	[0.50]	Waterborne Disease Ecology
ENVS*4180	[0.50]	Insecticide Biological Activity and Resistance
ENVS*4190	[0.50]	Biological Activity of Herbicides
GEOG*3020	[0.50]	Global Environmental Change
MBG*4270	[0.50]	DNA Replication, Recombination and Repair **
PBIO*4530	[0.50]	Plants and Environmental Pollution **
STAT*3510	[0.50]	Environmental Risk Assessment
TOX*3360	[0.50]	Environmental Chemistry and Toxicology

**List C - Conservation of Biodiversity & Natural Resources**

Minimum of 1.00 credits from the following list:

BIOL*3060	[0.50]	Populations, Communities & Ecosystems
BIOL*3130	[0.50]	Conservation Biology
BIOL*4150	[0.50]	Wildlife Conservation and Management
BIOL*4500	[0.50]	Natural Resource Policy Analysis
ENVS*2120	[0.50]	Introduction to Environmental Stewardship
ENVS*3080	[0.50]	Soil and Water Conservation **
ENVS*3090	[0.50]	Insect Diversity and Biology
ENVS*3150	[0.50]	Aquatic Systems
ENVS*3230	[0.50]	Agroforestry Systems **
ENVS*3250	[0.50]	Forest Health and Disease
ENVS*3270	[0.50]	Forest Biodiversity **
ENVS*3370	[0.50]	Terrestrial Ecosystem Ecology
ENVS*4230	[0.50]	Biology of Aquatic Insects **
ENVS*4260	[0.50]	Field Entomology **
ENVS*4350	[0.50]	Forest Ecology **
ENVS*4390	[1.00]	Soil Variability and Land Evaluation

**List D - Supporting Courses**

ENVS*3410	[0.50]	Independent Research I
ENVS*3420	[0.50]	Independent Research II
ENVS*3430	[1.00]	Independent Research
ENVS*3510	[0.50]	Independent Study I
ENVS*3520	[0.50]	Independent Study II
ENVS*3530	[1.00]	Independent Study
ENVS*4410	[1.00]	Advanced Independent Research I
ENVS*4420	[1.00]	Advanced Independent Research II
ENVS*4430	[2.00]	Advanced Independent Research
ENVS*4510	[0.50]	Advanced Independent Study I
ENVS*4520	[0.50]	Advanced Independent Study II
ENVS*4530	[1.00]	Advanced Independent Study

The following restricted elective courses are required as prerequisites for some courses in lists A, B and C:

BIOL*3060	[0.50]	Populations, Communities & Ecosystems
BOT*2100	[0.50]	Life Strategies of Plants
ENVS*2060	[0.50]	Soil Science
MCB*2050	[0.50]	Molecular Biology of the Cell

**Credit Summary (20.00 Total Credits)**

4.00 - First year science credits

3.50 - Required science courses semesters 3 – 8 (3.00 if STAT 2040 is taken in Semester 2)

4.50 - Restricted electives (some restricted electives do not count as science electives towards degree therefore additional science electives may be required)

4.00 - Approved Science electives (4.50 if STAT 2040 is taken in semester 2, in place of CIS)

1.00 - Arts and/or Social Science electives (# 1 in restricted elective list)

3.00 - Free electives - any approved elective for B.Sc. students. (could be less if restricted electives do not count as science)

Of the total credits required, students are required to complete 16.00 credits in science of which 2.00 credits must be at the 4000 level and an additional 4.00 credits must be at the 3000 or 4000 level.

## Environmental Geoscience and Geomatics (EGG)

### Department of Geography, Environment and Geomatics, College of Social and Applied Human Sciences

This program provides opportunities for study of the processes and properties of the biophysical environment and a core foundation in the analytical techniques (i.e. Geographical Information Science and Remote Sensing) used for their interpretation, analysis and presentation.

Graduates of the program that select courses required for a 'Professional Geoscientist' will meet the academic requirements for eligibility for membership as an Environmental Geoscientist in the Association of Professional Geoscientists of Ontario (APGO), allowing for use of the designation P. Geo. Ontario's legislation under the Professional Geoscientists Act, 2000 (the Act), requires registration with the APGO of anyone wishing to practice geoscience in Ontario. Details on the course requirements for APGO membership can be found on the [Department of Geography, Environment and Geomatics website](#):

### Major (Honours Program)

Students may enter this major in Semester 1 or any semester thereafter. A student wishing to declare the major may wish to consult with a B.Sc. Faculty Advisor in the Department of Geography, Environment and Geomatics. All students are encouraged to consult with the advisor on a regular basis.

The major will require the completion of 20.00 credits as indicated below:

#### Semester 1

BIOL*1070	[0.50]	Discovering Biodiversity
CHEM*1040	[0.50]	General Chemistry I
GEOG*1350	[0.50]	Earth: Hazards and Global Change
PHYS*1080	[0.50]	Physics for Life Sciences

One of:

MATH*1080	[0.50]	Elements of Calculus I
MATH*1200	[0.50]	Calculus I

Students who are lacking one 4U/grade 12 course in Biology, Chemistry or Physics must take the equivalent introductory course in first semester. The required first-year science courses in that subject should be completed according to the revised schedule of studies available at: [https://www.uoguelph.ca/bsc/revised\\_SS](https://www.uoguelph.ca/bsc/revised_SS)

#### Semester 2

BIOL*1090	[0.50]	Introduction to Molecular and Cellular Biology
CHEM*1050	[0.50]	General Chemistry II
GEOG*1300	[0.50]	Introduction to the Biophysical Environment
PHYS*1130	[0.50]	Physics with Applications

0.50 Arts or Social Science electives\* (GEOG\*1220 is recommended)

#### Semester 3

ENVS*2240	[0.50]	Fundamentals of Environmental Geology
GEOG*2000	[0.50]	Geomorphology
GEOG*2420	[0.50]	The Earth From Space
GEOG*2480	[0.50]	Mapping and GIS

0.50 Arts or Social Science electives\*

#### Semester 4

GEOG*2110	[0.50]	Climate and the Biophysical Environment
GEOG*2210	[0.50]	Environment and Resources
STAT*2040	[0.50]	Statistics I

One of:

CIS*1200	[0.50]	Introduction to Computing
CIS*1500	[0.50]	Introduction to Programming
MATH*1210	[0.50]	Calculus II
MATH*2080	[0.50]	Elements of Calculus II

0.50 approved Science electives\*

#### Semester 5

GEOG*3000	[0.50]	Fluvial Processes
GEOG*3110	[0.50]	Biotic and Natural Resources

One of:

GEOG*3020	[0.50]	Global Environmental Change
GEOG*3090	[0.50]	Gender and Environment
GEOG*3210	[0.50]	Management of the Biophysical Environment

1.00 electives, at least 0.50 from approved Science electives\*

#### Semester 6

GEOG*3420	[0.50]	Remote Sensing of the Environment
GEOG*3480	[0.50]	GIS and Spatial Analysis
GEOG*3610	[0.50]	Environmental Hydrology

1.00 electives, at least 0.50 from approved Science electives\*

#### Semester 7

GEOG*4110	[1.00]	Environmental Systems Analysis
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1.50 electives, at least 0.50 from approved Science electives\* (GEOG\*4690 is recommended)

#### Semester 8

GEOG*4150	[0.50]	Catchment Processes
GEOG*4480	[1.00]	Applied Geomatics

1.00 Approved Science electives\*

#### Credit Summary (20.00 Total Credits)

4.50 - First year science credits

8.50 - Required science courses semesters 3 – 8

1.00 - Required social science courses semesters 3 – 8

3.00 - Approved Science electives

1.00 - Arts and/or Social Science electives

2.00 - Free electives - any approved elective for B.Sc. students.

Of the total credits required, students are required to complete 16.00 credits in science of which 2.00 credits must be at the 4000 level and an additional 4.00 credits must be at the 3000 or 4000 level.

## Food Science (FOOD)

### Department of Food Science, Ontario Agricultural College

### Major (Honours Program)

Students may enter this major in Semester 1 or any semester thereafter. A student wishing to declare the major may wish to consult the Faculty Advisor.

#### Semester 1 - Fall

BIOL*1090	[0.50]	Introduction to Molecular and Cellular Biology
CHEM*1040	[0.50]	General Chemistry I
MATH*1080	[0.50]	Elements of Calculus I
PHYS*1080	[0.50]	Physics for Life Sciences

0.50 Arts or Social Science electives

Note: CIS\*1200, rather than an Arts or Social Science credit is recommended for those needing to improve their computer skills.

Students lacking Grade 12 or 4U Biology, Chemistry or Physics should follow the revised schedule of study for this major found at: [https://www.uoguelph.ca/bsc/revised\\_SS](https://www.uoguelph.ca/bsc/revised_SS)

#### Semester 2 - Winter

BIOL*1080	[0.50]	Biological Concepts of Health
CHEM*1050	[0.50]	General Chemistry II
MATH*2080	[0.50]	Elements of Calculus II
PHYS*1070	[0.50]	Physics for Life Sciences II

0.50 Arts or Social Science electives

#### Semester 3 - Fall

BIOC*2580	[0.50]	Introduction to Biochemistry
CHEM*2880	[0.50]	Physical Chemistry
FOOD*2150	[0.50]	Introduction to Nutritional and Food Science
MICR*2420	[0.50]	Introduction to Microbiology

0.50 electives

#### Semester 4 - Winter

FOOD*2100	[0.50]	Communication in Food Science
FOOD*2620	[0.50]	Food Engineering Principles
NUTR*3210	[0.50]	Fundamentals of Nutrition
STAT*2040	[0.50]	Statistics I

0.50 electives

#### Semester 5 - Fall

FOOD*3030	[0.50]	Food Chemistry I
FOOD*3160	[0.75]	Food Processing I
FOOD*3230	[0.75]	Food Microbiology

0.50 electives

#### Semester 6 - Winter

FOOD*3040	[0.50]	Food Chemistry II
FOOD*3170	[0.50]	Food Processing II
FOOD*3260	[0.50]	Industrial Microbiology
FOOD*3700	[0.50]	Sensory Evaluation of Foods

0.50 electives

#### Semester 7 - Fall

FOOD*4190	[0.50]	Advanced Food Analysis
FOOD*4260	[0.50]	Food Product Development I

1.50 electives

**Semester 8 - Winter**

FOOD\*4270 [0.50] Food Product Development II

2.00 electives

**Notes:**

1. ENGL\*1200 is recommended for those students needing to improve their English grammar.
2. FOOD\*2150 could be replaced by FOOD\*2010 with permission of department advisor.
3. Of the 6.50 electives credits:
  - At least 2.00 must be Arts or Social Sciences.
  - At least 2.00 must be from list of Restricted Electives.
  - At least 1.00 must be from additional science electives (1.50 if MCS\*3010 is chosen as a Restricted Elective)

**Restricted Electives:**

FOOD*4070	[0.50]	Food Packaging
FOOD*4090	[0.50]	Functional Foods and Nutraceuticals
FOOD*4110	[0.50]	Meat and Poultry Processing
FOOD*4220	[0.50]	Topics in Food Science
FOOD*4230	[0.50]	Research in Food Science
FOOD*4310	[0.50]	Food Safety Management Systems
FOOD*4400	[0.50]	Dairy Processing
FOOD*4520	[0.50]	Utilization of Cereal Grains for Human Food
MCS*3010	[0.50]	Quality Management
POPM*4040	[0.50]	Epidemiology of Food-borne Diseases

**Credit Summary (20.00 Total Credits)**

4.00 - 1st year science required

9.50 - Required in semesters 3-8

2.00 - Restricted electives

2.00 - Arts or Social Science electives

1.00 or 1.50 - Additional Science electives (See Note 3 above)

1.00 or 1.50 - Free electives (See Note 3 above)

Students not in the Food Science Major who are seeking further study in Food Science are encouraged to consider the Certificate in Food Science. See Special Study Opportunities, Chapter XI of the Calendar.

**Food Science (Co-op) (FOOD:C)****Department of Food Science, Ontario Agricultural College****Major (Honours Program)****Semester 1 - Fall**

BIOL*1090	[0.50]	Introduction to Molecular and Cellular Biology
CHEM*1040	[0.50]	General Chemistry I
MATH*1080	[0.50]	Elements of Calculus I
PHYS*1080	[0.50]	Physics for Life Sciences

0.50 Arts or Social Science electives

Note: CIS\*1200, rather than an Arts or Social Science credit is recommended for those needing to improve their computer skills.

Students lacking Grade 12 or 4U Biology, Chemistry or Physics should follow the revised schedule of study for this major found at: [https://www.uoguelph.ca/bsc/revised\\_SS](https://www.uoguelph.ca/bsc/revised_SS)

**Semester 2 - Winter**

BIOL*1080	[0.50]	Biological Concepts of Health
CHEM*1050	[0.50]	General Chemistry II
MATH*2080	[0.50]	Elements of Calculus II
PHYS*1070	[0.50]	Physics for Life Sciences II

0.50 Arts or Social Science electives

**Summer Semester**

Off

**Semester 3 - Fall**

BIOC*2580	[0.50]	Introduction to Biochemistry
CHEM*2880	[0.50]	Physical Chemistry
COOP*1100	[0.00]	Introduction to Co-operative Education
FOOD*2150	[0.50]	Introduction to Nutritional and Food Science
MICR*2420	[0.50]	Introduction to Microbiology

0.50 electives

**Semester 4 - Winter**

FOOD*2100	[0.50]	Communication in Food Science
FOOD*2620	[0.50]	Food Engineering Principles
NUTR*3210	[0.50]	Fundamentals of Nutrition
STAT*2040	[0.50]	Statistics I

0.50 electives

**Summer Semester**

COOP\*1000 [0.00] Co-op Work Term I

**Semester 5 - Fall**

FOOD*3030	[0.50]	Food Chemistry I
FOOD*3160	[0.75]	Food Processing I
FOOD*3230	[0.75]	Food Microbiology

0.50 electives

**Semester 6 - Winter**

FOOD*3040	[0.50]	Food Chemistry II
FOOD*3170	[0.50]	Food Processing II
FOOD*3260	[0.50]	Industrial Microbiology
FOOD*3700	[0.50]	Sensory Evaluation of Foods

0.50 electives

**Summer Semester**

Optional

**Fall Semester**

COOP\*2000 [0.00] Co-op Work Term II

**Winter Semester**

COOP\*3000 [0.00] Co-op Work Term III

**Semester 7 - Fall**

FOOD*4190	[0.50]	Advanced Food Analysis
FOOD*4260	[0.50]	Food Product Development I

1.50 electives

**Semester 8 - Winter**

FOOD\*4270 [0.50] Food Product Development II

2.00 electives

**Notes:**

See Notes and Credit Summary in Food Science Major.

**Geographic Information Systems (GIS) and Environmental Analysis****Department of Geography, Environment and Geomatics, College of Social and Applied Human Sciences****Minor (Honours Program)**

A minimum of 5.00 credits is required, including the following 3.50 credits:

GEOG*1300	[0.50]	Introduction to the Biophysical Environment
GEOG*2420	[0.50]	The Earth From Space
GEOG*2480	[0.50]	Mapping and GIS
GEOG*3420	[0.50]	Remote Sensing of the Environment
GEOG*3480	[0.50]	GIS and Spatial Analysis
GEOG*4480	[1.00]	Applied Geomatics

And at least 1.50 credits from:

GEOG*2110	[0.50]	Climate and the Biophysical Environment
GEOG*2210	[0.50]	Environment and Resources
GEOG*3110	[0.50]	Biotic and Natural Resources
GEOG*3210	[0.50]	Management of the Biophysical Environment
GEOG*4110	[1.00]	Environmental Systems Analysis
GEOG*4210	[0.50]	Environmental Governance

**Human Kinetics (HK)****Department of Human Health and Nutritional Sciences, College of Biological Science**

Human Kinetics is concerned with understanding capacities for, and limits of, human movement at different ages and with the role of physical activity in human health. Through the use of electives, students may structure a program emphasizing biomechanics and ergonomics, human population biology or nutrition, exercise and metabolism.

If lacking the fundamentals of word processing, spread sheet use and data management, the student should select CIS\*1200 as early in the program as possible.

**Major (Honours Program)**

B.Sc. students who were not admitted directly into the Human Kinetics major from high school and subsequently wish to transfer to the specialization must apply directly to the Department of Human Health and Nutritional Science by the last day of classes in the winter semester.

To be eligible after first year, applicants must have successfully completed 4.0 science credits in a B.Sc. specialization with an average of 70% or better in BIOL\*1070, BIOL\*1080 and BIOL\*1090. For students with a 65-69.9% average in these three courses, admission to the major will be competitive based on available spaces.

Students wishing to transfer after second year or third year must have an average of 70% or better in their last two semesters (total of best 4.00 science credits). For students with a 65-69.9%, admission to the major will be competitive based on available spaces.

All decisions regarding transfers will be made by the end of June.

To complete the major, a minimum of 20.00 credits are required.

**Semester 1**

BIOL\*1080 [0.50] Biological Concepts of Health

CHEM*1040	[0.50]	General Chemistry I
MATH*1080	[0.50]	Elements of Calculus I
PHYS*1080	[0.50]	Physics for Life Sciences

0.50 Arts or Social Science electives

Students lacking Grade 12 or 4U Biology, Chemistry or Physics should follow the revised schedule of study for this major found at [https://www.uoguelph.ca/bsc/revised\\_SS](https://www.uoguelph.ca/bsc/revised_SS)

### Semester 2

BIOL*1070	[0.50]	Discovering Biodiversity
BIOL*1090	[0.50]	Introduction to Molecular and Cellular Biology
CHEM*1050	[0.50]	General Chemistry II
PHYS*1070	[0.50]	Physics for Life Sciences II

0.50 arts or social science electives

### Semester 3

BIOC*2580	[0.50]	Introduction to Biochemistry
HK*2270	[0.50]	Principles of Human Biomechanics
MBG*2040	[0.50]	Foundations in Molecular Biology and Genetics
STAT*2040	[0.50]	Statistics I

0.50 Arts or Social Science electives

### Semester 4

HK*2810	[0.50]	Human Physiology I - Concepts and Principles
MCB*2050	[0.50]	Molecular Biology of the Cell
NUTR*3210	[0.50]	Fundamentals of Nutrition

0.50 electives

0.50 Arts or Social Science electives

### Semester 5

HK*3600	[0.75]	Applied Human Kinetics I
HK*3810	[0.75]	Human Physiology II - Integrated Systems
NUTR*3360	[0.50]	Lifestyle Genomics

One of

HK*3401	[0.75]	Human Anatomy: Dissection
HK*3501	[0.75]	Human Anatomy: Prosection

### Semester 6

BIOC*3560	[0.50]	Structure and Function in Biochemistry
HK*3100	[0.50]	Neuromuscular Physiology
HK*4600	[0.75]	Applied Human Kinetics II

One of

HK*3402	[0.75]	Human Anatomy: Dissection (if registered in HK*3401 in semester 5)
HK*3502	[0.75]	Human Anatomy (if registered in HK*3501 in semester 5)

### Semester 7

HK*4550	[0.50]	Human Cardio-respiratory Physiology
NUTR*4210	[0.50]	Nutrition, Exercise and Energy Metabolism

1.50 electives or restricted electives

### Semester 8

2.25 electives or restricted electives

### Restricted Electives

- 2.00 credits of Approved Arts and Social Science electives.
- A minimum of 1.00 credits of restricted electives are required which must be selected from HK\*4XXX, NUTR\*4XXX (must be an approved B.Sc. Science Elective).

### Credit Summary (20.00 Total Credits)

4.00 - First year science core

9.75 - Required science courses semesters 3 - 8

1.00 - Restricted elective (# 2 in restricted elective list)

1.25 - Approved Science electives

2.00 - Approved Arts and/or Social Science electives (#1 in restricted electives list)

2.00 - Free electives - any approved electives for B.Sc. students.

Of the total credits required, students are required to complete 16.00 credits in science of which a minimum of 2.00 credits must be at the 4000 level and an additional 4.00 credits must be at the 3000 or 4000 level.

## Marine and Freshwater Biology (MFB)

Department of Integrative Biology, College of Biological Science

The Marine and Freshwater Biology major capitalizes on Guelph's recognized excellence in aquatic research and provides a broad perspective on aquatic environments based on the physical as well as the biological sciences. In this major, students will build upon core courses in ecology, evolution, genetics, and physiology of aquatic biota as they study freshwater and marine environments and work with aquatic organisms experimentally in the field and in the lab. They will have the opportunity to perform independent research projects under a variety of field and laboratory conditions to enhance their learning experience. The major prepares students for post-graduate work in the aquatic sciences, and provides a sound scientific background for students wishing to pursue careers in academia, government service, private sector (e.g., NGOs, fisheries, aquaculture, biotechnology, consulting), conservation, education and research.

### Major (Honours Program)

Students may enter this major in Semester 1 or any semester thereafter. A student wishing to declare the major may wish to consult the Faculty Advisor. A minimum total of 20.00 credits is required to complete the major.

#### Semester 1

BIOL*1070	[0.50]	Discovering Biodiversity
CHEM*1040	[0.50]	General Chemistry I
MATH*1080	[0.50]	Elements of Calculus I
PHYS*1080	[0.50]	Physics for Life Sciences

0.50 Arts or Social Science electives

Students lacking Grade 12 or 4U Biology, Chemistry or Physics should follow the revised schedule of study for this major found at [https://www.uoguelph.ca/bsc/revised\\_SS](https://www.uoguelph.ca/bsc/revised_SS)

#### Semester 2

BIOL*1080	[0.50]	Biological Concepts of Health
BIOL*1090	[0.50]	Introduction to Molecular and Cellular Biology
CHEM*1050	[0.50]	General Chemistry II
PHYS*1070	[0.50]	Physics for Life Sciences II

0.50 Arts or Social Science electives

#### Semester 3

BIOL*2060	[0.50]	Ecology
BIOL*2400	[0.50]	Evolution
ZOO*2090	[0.50]	Vertebrate Structure and Function

1.00 electives\*

#### Semester 4

BIOC*2580	[0.50]	Introduction to Biochemistry
MBG*2040	[0.50]	Foundations in Molecular Biology and Genetics
STAT*2230	[0.50]	Biostatistics for Integrative Biology
ZOO*2700	[0.50]	Invertebrate Morphology & Evolution

0.50 electives\*

#### Semester 5

BIOL*3450	[0.50]	Introduction to Aquatic Environments
ZOO*3600	[0.50]	Comparative Animal Physiology I
ZOO*3610	[0.25]	Lab Studies in Animal Physiology I
ZOO*3700	[0.50]	Integrative Biology of Invertebrates

Electives to a maximum of 2.75 total credits in this semester.

#### Semester 6

BIOL*3060	[0.50]	Populations, Communities & Ecosystems
ZOO*3050	[0.50]	Developmental Biology
ZOO*3620	[0.50]	Comparative Animal Physiology II
ZOO*3630	[0.25]	Lab Studies in Animal Physiology II

Electives to a maximum of 2.75 total credits in this semester.

#### Semester 7

BIOL*4350	[0.50]	Limnology of Natural and Polluted Waters
IBIO*4600	[1.00]	Integrative Marine and Freshwater Research

1.00 electives

#### Semester 8

BIOL*4010	[0.50]	Adaptational Physiology
ZOO*4330	[0.50]	Biology of Fishes
ZOO*4570	[0.50]	Marine Ecological Processes

1.00 electives

\* CIS\*1200 is recommended for those needing to improve their computer skills

### Electives

At least 1.00 credits of Arts and/or Social Science electives are required. The list of approved Arts and Social Science electives for B.Sc. students is available at: [https://www.uoguelph.ca/bsc/Approved\\_electives](https://www.uoguelph.ca/bsc/Approved_electives)

### Credit Summary (20.00 Total Credits)

4.00 - First year science core

10.00 - Required science courses semesters 3 - 8

2.00 - Approved science electives

1.00 - Arts and/or Social Science electives

3.00 - Free electives - any approved elective for B.Sc. Students



Of the total credits required, students are required to complete 16.00 credits in science of which a minimum of 2.00 credits must be at the 4000 level and an additional 4.00 credits must be at the 3000 or 4000 level.

## Marine and Freshwater Biology (Co-op) (MFB:C)

### Department of Integrative Biology, College of Biological Science

The Marine and Freshwater Biology major capitalizes on Guelph's recognized excellence in aquatic research and provides a broad perspective on aquatic environments based on the physical as well as biological sciences. In this major, you will build upon core courses in ecology, evolution, genetics, and physiology of aquatic biota as you study freshwater and marine environments and work with aquatic organisms experimentally in the field and in the lab. You will have the opportunity to perform independent research projects under a variety of field and laboratory conditions to enhance your learning experience. Work placements enable students to gain knowledge, skills and values appropriate for work with individuals and groups in a variety of settings. The major prepares students for post-graduate work in the aquatic sciences, and provides a sound scientific background for students wishing to pursue careers in academia, government service, private sector (e.g., NGOs, fisheries, aquaculture, biotechnology, consulting), conservation, education and research.

Students in the Major begin their first work term in the summer of the second year after they have completed semester 4. COOP\*1100 is required in the third academic semester. At least 4 work terms (COOP\*1000, COOP\*2000, COOP\*3000, COOP\*4000) are required in the co-op program, and the course requirements are the same as shown for the major program. Some courses must be taken during a different semester than usual, and Co-op students generally require an additional fall and winter semester to meet all the program requirements.

### Major (Honours Program)

Students may wish to plan their program in consultation with the faculty advisor. A total of 20.00 credits are required to complete the major.

#### Semester 1 - Fall

BIOL*1070	[0.50]	Discovering Biodiversity
CHEM*1040	[0.50]	General Chemistry I
MATH*1080	[0.50]	Elements of Calculus I
PHYS*1080	[0.50]	Physics for Life Sciences

0.50 Arts or Social Science electives

Students lacking Grade 12 or 4U Biology, Chemistry or Physics should follow the revised schedule of study for this major found at [https://www.uoguelph.ca/bsc/revised\\_SS](https://www.uoguelph.ca/bsc/revised_SS)

#### Semester 2 - Winter

BIOL*1080	[0.50]	Biological Concepts of Health
BIOL*1090	[0.50]	Introduction to Molecular and Cellular Biology
CHEM*1050	[0.50]	General Chemistry II
PHYS*1070	[0.50]	Physics for Life Sciences II

0.50 Arts or Social Science electives

#### Semester 3 - Fall

BIOL*2060	[0.50]	Ecology
BIOL*2400	[0.50]	Evolution
COOP*1100	[0.00]	Introduction to Co-operative Education
ZOO*2090	[0.50]	Vertebrate Structure and Function

1.00 electives or restricted electives\*

#### Semester 4 - Winter

BIOC*2580	[0.50]	Introduction to Biochemistry
MBG*2040	[0.50]	Foundations in Molecular Biology and Genetics
STAT*2230	[0.50]	Biostatistics for Integrative Biology
ZOO*2700	[0.50]	Invertebrate Morphology & Evolution

0.50 electives or restricted electives\*

#### Summer Semester

COOP*1000*++	[0.00]	Co-op Work Term I
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#### Semester 5 - Fall

BIOL*3450	[0.50]	Introduction to Aquatic Environments
ZOO*3600	[0.50]	Comparative Animal Physiology I
ZOO*3610	[0.25]	Lab Studies in Animal Physiology I
ZOO*3700	[0.50]	Integrative Biology of Invertebrates

Electives or restricted electives to a maximum of 2.75 total credits in this semester.

#### Winter Semester

COOP*2000*++	[0.00]	Co-op Work Term II
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#### Summer Semester

COOP*3000*++	[0.00]	Co-op Work Term III
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#### Semester 6 - Fall

BIOL*4350	[0.50]	Limnology of Natural and Polluted Waters
IBIO*4600	[1.00]	Integrative Marine and Freshwater Research

1.00 electives or restricted electives

#### Semester 7 - Winter

BIOL*3060	[0.50]	Populations, Communities & Ecosystems
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ZOO*3050	[0.50]	Developmental Biology
ZOO*3620	[0.50]	Comparative Animal Physiology II
ZOO*3630	[0.25]	Lab Studies in Animal Physiology II

Electives or restricted electives to a maximum of 2.75 total credits in this semester.

#### Summer Semester

COOP*4000*++	[0.00]	Co-op Work Term IV
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#### Fall Semester

COOP*5000*++	[0.00]	Co-op Work Term V
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#### Semester 8 - Winter

BIOL*4010	[0.50]	Adaptational Physiology
ZOO*4330	[0.50]	Biology of Fishes
ZOO*4570	[0.50]	Marine Ecological Processes

1.00 electives or restricted electives

\* CIS\*1200 is recommended for those needing to improve their computer skills

++ Four work terms are required for the completion of the co-op degree. It is also necessary that there be at least one work term in each of Winter, Fall, and Summer semesters. Therefore, one of the summer work terms could be missed and the student would still graduate successfully. It is only required to complete 4 of the 5 listed work terms. A report is required for each work term completed, even when all 5 are done. Contact the co-op faculty advisor for further details.

#### Restricted Electives

At least 1.00 credits of Arts and/or Social Science electives are required. The list of approved Arts and Social Science electives for B.Sc. students is available at: [https://www.uoguelph.ca/bsc/Approved\\_electives](https://www.uoguelph.ca/bsc/Approved_electives)

#### Credit Summary (20.00 Total Credits)

4.00 - First year science core

10.00 - Required science courses semesters 3 - 8

2.00 - Approved science electives

1.00 - Arts and/or Social Science electives

3.00 - Free electives - any approved elective for B.Sc. Students

Of the total credits required, students are required to complete 16.00 credits in science of which a minimum of 2.00 credits must be at the 4000 level and an additional 4.00 credits must be at the 3000 or 4000 level.

## Mathematical Science (MSCI)

### Department of Mathematics & Statistics, College of Engineering and Physical Sciences

### Major (Honours Program)

Knowledge of Mathematics and Statistics is crucial for understanding our world. This unique program provides a core of both mathematics and statistics with a choice of a Mathematics stream or a Statistics stream. This major also requires the completion of an area of emphasis as listed. Students are encouraged to speak with a Program Counsellor when choosing courses for the selected stream and area of emphasis.

Students may enter this major in Semester 1 or any semester thereafter. A student wishing to declare the major may wish to consult the Faculty Advisor. A total of 20.00 credits is required to complete the Major which includes at least 10.00 credits in Mathematics & Statistics, 0.50 credits in Computing and Information Science, and an additional 2.50 credits in an area of emphasis.

**Note:** Students majoring in Mathematical Science cannot minor in Mathematics or Statistics.

#### Semester 1

CHEM*1040	[0.50]	General Chemistry I
MATH*1160	[0.50]	Linear Algebra I

One of \*\*\*

BIOL*1070	[0.50]	Discovering Biodiversity
BIOL*1080	[0.50]	Biological Concepts of Health
BIOL*1090	[0.50]	Introduction to Molecular and Cellular Biology

1.00 credits from: IPS\*1500, or (MATH\*1080, PHYS\*1080) or (MATH\*1200, PHYS\*1080)\*

Students lacking Grade 12 or 4U Biology, Chemistry or Physics should follow the revised schedule of study for this major found at: [https://www.uoguelph.ca/bsc/revised\\_SS](https://www.uoguelph.ca/bsc/revised_SS)

#### Semester 2

CHEM*1050	[0.50]	General Chemistry II
STAT*2040	[0.50]	Statistics I

One of \*\*\*

BIOL*1070	[0.50]	Discovering Biodiversity
BIOL*1080	[0.50]	Biological Concepts of Health
BIOL*1090	[0.50]	Introduction to Molecular and Cellular Biology

1.00 credits from: IPS\*1510, or (MATH\*2080, PHYS\*1010) or (MATH\*1210, PHYS\*1010)\*\*

#### Semester 3

CIS*1500	[0.50]	Introduction to Programming
MATH*2200	[0.50]	Advanced Calculus I

STAT\*3100 [0.50] Introductory Mathematical Statistics I  
1.00 electives or restricted electives

**Semester 4**

MATH\*2130 [0.50] Numerical Methods  
STAT\*2050 [0.50] Statistics II

1.50 electives or restricted electives (CIS\*2500 recommended)

**Semester 5**

2.50 electives or restricted electives

**Semester 6**

2.50 electives or restricted electives

**Semester 7**

2.50 electives or restricted electives

**Semester 8**

MATH\*4440 [0.50] Case Studies in Mathematics and Statistics

2.00 electives or restricted electives

\* Students entering the major in first year are strongly advised to take IPS\*1500 or (MATH\*1200, PHYS\*1080). Students declaring the Energy and Mass Transfer, the Electricity and Systems, or the Signal Processing Area of Emphasis should take (MATH\*1200, PHYS\*1080).

\*\* Students entering the major in first year are strongly advised to take IPS\*1510 or (MATH\*1210, PHYS\*1010). Students declaring the Energy and Mass Transfer, the Electricity and Systems, or the Signal Processing Area of Emphasis should take (MATH\*1210, PHYS\*1010).

\*\*\* BIOL\*1070 and BIOL\*1090 are recommended if taking either the BINF or the BBM Area of Emphasis

**RESTRICTED ELECTIVES**

- 1.00 credits of Approved Arts and/or Social Science electives
- 2.50 credits from either the Mathematics Stream or the Statistics Stream as follows:
- 2.50 credits from an Area of Emphasis

**Mathematics Stream:**

MATH\*2000 [0.50] Proofs, Sets, and Numbers  
MATH\*2210 [0.50] Advanced Calculus II  
MATH\*2270 [0.50] Applied Differential Equations  
MATH\*3160 [0.50] Linear Algebra II  
MATH\*3200 [0.50] Real Analysis

3.00 additional credits in MATH or STAT at the 3000 level or above of which at least 1.50 credits must be MATH at the 4000 level

**Statistics Stream:**

STAT\*3110 [0.50] Introductory Mathematical Statistics II  
STAT\*3240 [0.50] Applied Regression Analysis

0.50 additional credits in MATH at 2000 level or above

1.00 additional credits in MATH or STAT at the 2000 level or above

3.00 additional credits in MATH or STAT at the 3000 level or above of which at least 1.50 credits must be STAT at the 4000 level

**AREAS OF EMPHASIS**

Students are required to complete one of the following Areas of Emphasis. Each Area of Emphasis is 2.50 credits from a single field of study.

**BIOINFORMATICS (BINF)**

The following credits must be taken:

BIOL\*2400 [0.50] Evolution  
BIOL\*3020 [0.50] Population Genetics  
BIOL\*3040 [0.50] Methods in Evolutionary Biology  
BIOL\*3300 [0.50] Applied Bioinformatics  
MBG\*2040 [0.50] Foundations in Molecular Biology and Genetics

**BIOMATHEMATICAL OR BIostatistical Modelling (BBM)**

The following credits must be taken:

BIOL\*2060 [0.50] Ecology  
BIOL\*2400 [0.50] Evolution  
BIOL\*3060 [0.50] Populations, Communities & Ecosystems  
BIOL\*3130 [0.50] Conservation Biology  
BIOL\*4150 [0.50] Wildlife Conservation and Management

**COMPUTER SCIENCE (CS)**

The following credits must be taken:

CIS\*2430 [0.50] Object Oriented Programming  
CIS\*2500 [0.50] Intermediate Programming  
CIS\*2520 [0.50] Data Structures

at least 1.00 credits from:

CIS\*3110 [0.50] Operating Systems I  
CIS\*3190 [0.50] Software for Legacy Systems  
CIS\*3490 [0.50] The Analysis and Design of Computer Algorithms  
CIS\*3530 [0.50] Data Base Systems and Concepts

**Note:** CIS\*2750 is recommended in addition to the Area of Emphasis requirements for students interested in Computer Science

**ECONOMICS (ECON)**

The following credits must be taken:

ECON\*1050 [0.50] Introductory Microeconomics  
ECON\*1100 [0.50] Introductory Macroeconomics  
ECON\*2310 [0.50] Intermediate Microeconomics

at least 1.00 credits from:

ECON\*3100 [0.50] Game Theory  
ECON\*3710 [0.50] Advanced Microeconomics  
ECON\*4710 [0.50] Advanced Topics in Microeconomics

**Note:** ECON\*1050 and ECON\*1100 are approved Arts or Social Science electives for B.Sc. students

**ENERGY AND MASS TRANSFER (EMT)**

The following credits must be taken:

ENGG\*1210 [0.50] Engineering Mechanics I  
ENGG\*2230 [0.50] Fluid Mechanics  
ENGG\*2400 [0.50] Engineering Systems Analysis  
ENGG\*3260 [0.50] Thermodynamics  
ENGG\*3430 [0.50] Heat and Mass Transfer

**Note:** No more than 3.00 credits in ENGG courses may be taken.

**ELECTRICITY AND SYSTEMS (EAS)**

The following credits must be taken:

ENGG\*1210 [0.50] Engineering Mechanics I  
ENGG\*2400 [0.50] Engineering Systems Analysis  
ENGG\*2450 [0.50] Electric Circuits

at least 1.00 credits from:

ENGG\*3410 [0.50] Systems and Control Theory  
ENGG\*3450 [0.50] Electronic Devices  
ENGG\*4460 [0.50] Robotic Systems

**Note:** No more than 3.00 credits in ENGG courses may be taken.

**SIGNAL PROCESSING (SP)**

The following credits must be taken:

ENGG\*1210 [0.50] Engineering Mechanics I  
ENGG\*2400 [0.50] Engineering Systems Analysis  
ENGG\*2450 [0.50] Electric Circuits  
ENGG\*3390 [0.50] Signal Processing  
ENGG\*4660 [0.50] Medical Image Processing

**Note:** No more than 3.00 credits in ENGG courses may be taken.

**INDIVIDUALIZED (IN)**

It is required that 2.50 credits are taken from approved Science electives for B.Sc. students where 1.00 credits must be at the 3000 level or above. Students declaring an Individualized Area of Emphasis must have their choice of 2.50 credits approved by an academic advisor.

**Credit Summary (20.00 Total Credits)**

5.00 - First year science credits

3.00 - Required science courses semesters 3 – 8

8.00 - Restricted electives (Stream and Area of Emphasis)

1.00 - Arts and/or Social Science electives (# 1 in restricted elective list)

3.00 - Free electives - any approved elective for B.Sc. students. (Could be less if restricted electives do not count as science)

Of the total credits required, students are required to complete 16.00 credits in science of which 2.00 credits must be at the 4000 level and an additional 4.00 credits must be at the 3000 or 4000 level.

**Minor (Honours Program)**

This requires 1.00 calculus credits and 4.00 other credits chosen from mathematics, statistics, and computing and information science. For these 4.00 credits students will choose at least 0.50 from each discipline. At least 1.00 credits must be at the 3000 level or above. CIS\*2050 and CIS\*3000 cannot be counted toward this minor. This minor cannot be combined with a major in Mathematics, Statistics, or Bachelor of Computing program.

**Mathematics (MATH)****Department of Mathematics and Statistics, College of Engineering and Physical Sciences**

Knowledge of mathematics is crucial for understanding our world. The Minor in Mathematics is designed to provide considerable flexibility for students to pursue their own mathematical interests, whether they be in the concepts of "pure" mathematics or techniques and applications. Students minoring in Mathematics will develop skills that are valued in many sectors such as business, education, government, and industry.

**Minor (Honours Program)**

A total of 5.00 credits is required to complete the Minor, including:

(MATH\*1080 or MATH\*1200)\*

(MATH\*1210 or MATH\*2080)\*\*

MATH\*1160 [0.50] Linear Algebra I  
MATH\*2000 [0.50] Proofs, Sets, and Numbers

MATH\*2200 [0.50] Advanced Calculus I  
 STAT\*2040 [0.50] Statistics I  
 0.50 additional Mathematics credits at the 2000 level or above.  
 1.50 additional Mathematics credits at the 3000 or 4000 level.  
 \* IPS\*1500 can count toward this 0.50 credit  
 \*\* IPS\*1510 can count toward this 0.50 credit

**Note:** Students majoring in Mathematical Science cannot minor in Mathematics.

## Microbiology (MICR)

### Department of Molecular and Cellular Biology, College of Biological Science

Microbiology programs are designed to give students a good understanding of microorganisms, including diversity, ecology, physiology, molecular genetics, current approaches in bacterial genomics/proteomics, and microbial associations with animal hosts and the environments. Such knowledge will provide the basis for further work with microbes in medicine, agricultural industries (including biotechnology, pharmaceuticals, food and beverage) and the environment (surveillance and bioremediation).

Students can take the B.Sc. program with a Major in Microbiology, or combine the minor with another major. Students should plan their programs in consultation with the microbiology faculty advisor. As course offerings may change during the program, students are strongly encouraged to review their plans at least once a year with their advisors, and to check the departmental website for program news.

### Major (Honours Program)

Students may enter this major in Semester 1 or any semester thereafter. A student wishing to declare the major may wish to consult the Faculty Advisor.

#### Semester 1

BIOL\*1090 [0.50] Introduction to Molecular and Cellular Biology  
 CHEM\*1040 [0.50] General Chemistry I  
 MATH\*1080 [0.50] Elements of Calculus I  
 PHYS\*1080 [0.50] Physics for Life Sciences

0.50 Arts or Social Science electives

Students lacking Grade 12 or 4U Biology, Chemistry or Physics should follow the revised schedule of study for this major found at [https://www.uoguelph.ca/bsc/revised\\_SS](https://www.uoguelph.ca/bsc/revised_SS)

#### Semester 2

BIOL\*1070 [0.50] Discovering Biodiversity  
 BIOL\*1080 [0.50] Biological Concepts of Health  
 CHEM\*1050 [0.50] General Chemistry II  
 PHYS\*1070 [0.50] Physics for Life Sciences II

0.50 Arts or Social Science electives

#### Semester 3

BIOC\*2580 [0.50] Introduction to Biochemistry  
 MBG\*2040 [0.50] Foundations in Molecular Biology and Genetics  
 MICR\*2420 [0.50] Introduction to Microbiology  
 STAT\*2040 [0.50] Statistics I

0.50 Arts or Social Science electives

#### Semester 4

BIOC\*3560 [0.50] Structure and Function in Biochemistry  
 MCB\*2050 [0.50] Molecular Biology of the Cell  
 MICR\*2430 [0.50] Methods in Microbial Culture and Physiology

0.50 electives

0.50 Arts or Social Science electives

#### Semester 5

MBG\*3080 [0.50] Bacterial Genetics  
 MICR\*3420 [0.50] Microbial Diversity

1.50 electives or restricted electives

#### Semester 6

MBG\*3350 [0.75] Laboratory Methods in Molecular Biology I  
 MICR\*3260 [0.50] Microbial Adaptation  
 MICR\*3430 [0.75] Advanced Methods in Microbiology

A minimum of 0.50 electives or restricted electives

#### Semester 7

2.50 electives or restricted electives which can include MCB\*4500

#### Semester 8

2.50 electives or restricted electives which can include MCB\*4510

### Restricted Electives

1. A minimum of 2.00 credits of Arts and/or Social Science electives are required. The list of approved Arts and Social Science electives for B.Sc. students is available at: [https://www.uoguelph.ca/bsc/Approved\\_electives](https://www.uoguelph.ca/bsc/Approved_electives)
2. 3.50 restricted elective credits of which 1.00 credits must be at the 4000 level.

BIOC\*4540 [0.75] Enzymology  
 BIOC\*4580 [0.50] Membrane Biochemistry  
 ENV\*3290 [0.50] Waterborne Disease Ecology  
 FOOD\*3230 [0.75] Food Microbiology

FOOD\*3240 [0.50] Food Microbiology  
 FOOD\*3260 [0.50] Industrial Microbiology  
 FOOD\*3270 [0.50] Industrial Microbiology  
 FOOD\*4400 [0.50] Dairy Processing  
 MCB\*3010 [0.50] Dynamics of Cell Function and Signaling  
 MCB\*4500 [1.00] Research Project in Molecular & Cellular Biology I  
 MCB\*4510 [1.00] Research Project in Molecular & Cellular Biology  
 MCB\*4600 [0.50] Topics in Molecular and Cellular Biology  
 MICR\*3090 [0.50] Mycology  
 MICR\*3220 [0.50] Plant Microbiology  
 MICR\*3230 [0.50] Immunology  
 MICR\*3330 [0.50] World of Viruses  
 MICR\*4010 [0.50] Pathogenic Bacteriology  
 MICR\*4280 [0.50] Microbial Ecology  
 MICR\*4330 [0.50] Molecular Virology  
 MICR\*4430 [0.50] Medical Virology  
 MICR\*4520 [0.50] Microbial Cell Biology  
 MICR\*4530 [0.50] Immunology II  
 PATH\*3040 [0.50] Principles of Parasitology

### Credit Summary (20.00 Total Credits)

4.00 - First year science core

6.50 - Required science courses semesters 3 - 8

3.50 - Restricted electives (#2 in restricted electives list)

2.00 - Approved Science electives

2.00 - Approved Arts and/or Social Science electives (#1 in restricted electives list)

2.00 - Free electives - any approved electives for B.Sc. students.

Of the total credits required, students are required to complete 16.00 credits in science of which a minimum of 2.00 credits must be at the 4000 level and an additional 4.00 credits must be at the 3000 or 4000 level.

### Minor (Honours Program)

The minor in Microbiology consists of the following 5.00 credits including:

BIOC\*3560 [0.50] Structure and Function in Biochemistry  
 MICR\*2420 [0.50] Introduction to Microbiology  
 MICR\*2430 [0.50] Methods in Microbial Culture and Physiology

A minimum of 2.50 credits from:

FOOD\*3230 [0.75] Food Microbiology  
 FOOD\*3240 [0.50] Food Microbiology  
 FOOD\*3260 [0.50] Industrial Microbiology  
 FOOD\*3270 [0.50] Industrial Microbiology  
 MBG\*2040 [0.50] Foundations in Molecular Biology and Genetics  
 MBG\*3080 [0.50] Bacterial Genetics  
 MBG\*3350 [0.75] Laboratory Methods in Molecular Biology I  
 MICR\*3090 [0.50] Mycology  
 MICR\*3220 [0.50] Plant Microbiology  
 MICR\*3230 [0.50] Immunology  
 MICR\*3260 [0.50] Microbial Adaptation  
 MICR\*3330 [0.50] World of Viruses  
 MICR\*3420 [0.50] Microbial Diversity  
 MICR\*3430 [0.75] Advanced Methods in Microbiology

1.00 credits from:

MICR\*4010 [0.50] Pathogenic Bacteriology  
 MICR\*4280 [0.50] Microbial Ecology  
 MICR\*4330 [0.50] Molecular Virology  
 MICR\*4430 [0.50] Medical Virology  
 MICR\*4520 [0.50] Microbial Cell Biology  
 MICR\*4530 [0.50] Immunology II

### Microbiology (Co-op) (MICR:C)

#### Department of Molecular and Cellular Biology, College of Biological Science

Students in the Major in Microbiology program may take the Co-op option. Students do not begin their first work term until they have completed semester 4 and courses BIOL\*1070, BIOL\*1080, BIOL\*1090 and MICR\*2430. Students in the co-op program must also complete COOP\*1100. COOP \*1100 is taken in semester 3. At least 3 work terms (COOP\*1000, COOP\*2000, COOP\*3000) are required in the co-op program, and the course requirements are the same as shown for the major program. Some courses must be taken during a different semester than usual, and Co-op students generally require an additional semester to meet all the program requirements. Students should plan their programs in consultation with the faculty advisor. A total of 20.00 credits are required to complete the major.

### Major (Honours Program)

#### Semester 1 - Fall

BIOL\*1090 [0.50] Introduction to Molecular and Cellular Biology  
 CHEM\*1040 [0.50] General Chemistry I

MATH*1080	[0.50]	Elements of Calculus I
PHYS*1080	[0.50]	Physics for Life Sciences
0.50 Arts or Social Science electives		
Students lacking Grade 12 or 4U Biology, Chemistry or Physics should follow the revised schedule of study for this major found at <a href="https://www.uoguelph.ca/bsc/revised_SS">https://www.uoguelph.ca/bsc/revised_SS</a>		

**Semester 2 - Winter**

BIOL*1070	[0.50]	Discovering Biodiversity
BIOL*1080	[0.50]	Biological Concepts of Health
CHEM*1050	[0.50]	General Chemistry II
PHYS*1070	[0.50]	Physics for Life Sciences II
0.50 Arts or Social Science electives		

**Summer Semester**

No academic semester or work term

**Semester 3 - Fall**

BIOC*2580	[0.50]	Introduction to Biochemistry
COOP*1100	[0.00]	Introduction to Co-operative Education
MBG*2040	[0.50]	Foundations in Molecular Biology and Genetics
MICR*2420	[0.50]	Introduction to Microbiology
STAT*2040	[0.50]	Statistics I
0.50 Arts or Social Science electives		

**Semester 4 - Winter**

BIOC*3560	[0.50]	Structure and Function in Biochemistry
MCB*2050	[0.50]	Molecular Biology of the Cell
MICR*2430	[0.50]	Methods in Microbial Culture and Physiology
0.50 electives		
0.50 Arts or Social Science electives		

**Summer Semester**

COOP*1000	[0.00]	Co-op Work Term I
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**Semester 5 - Fall**

MBG*3080	[0.50]	Bacterial Genetics
MICR*3420	[0.50]	Microbial Diversity
1.50 electives or restricted electives		

**Semester 6 - Winter**

MBG*3350	[0.75]	Laboratory Methods in Molecular Biology I
MICR*3260	[0.50]	Microbial Adaptation
MICR*3430	[0.75]	Advanced Methods in Microbiology
A minimum of 0.50 electives or restricted electives		

**Summer - Semester**

Optional

**Fall Semester**

COOP*2000	[0.00]	Co-op Work Term II
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**Winter Semester**

COOP*3000	[0.00]	Co-op Work Term III
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**Semester 7 - Fall**

2.50 electives or restricted electives which can include MCB\*4500

**Semester 8 - Winter**

2.50 electives or restricted electives which can include MCB\*4510

**Restricted Electives**

- A minimum of 2.00 credits of Arts and/or Social Science electives are required. The list of approved Arts and Social Science electives for B.Sc. students is available at: [https://www.uoguelph.ca/bsc/Approved\\_electives](https://www.uoguelph.ca/bsc/Approved_electives)
- 3.50 restricted elective credits of which 1.00 credits must be at the 4000 level.

BIOC*4540	[0.75]	Enzymology
BIOC*4580	[0.50]	Membrane Biochemistry
ENVS*3290	[0.50]	Waterborne Disease Ecology
FOOD*3230	[0.75]	Food Microbiology
FOOD*3240	[0.50]	Food Microbiology
FOOD*3260	[0.50]	Industrial Microbiology
FOOD*3270	[0.50]	Industrial Microbiology
FOOD*4400	[0.50]	Dairy Processing
MCB*3010	[0.50]	Dynamics of Cell Function and Signaling
MCB*4500	[1.00]	Research Project in Molecular & Cellular Biology I
MCB*4510	[1.00]	Research Project in Molecular & Cellular Biology
MCB*4600	[0.50]	Topics in Molecular and Cellular Biology
MICR*3090	[0.50]	Mycology
MICR*3220	[0.50]	Plant Microbiology
MICR*3230	[0.50]	Immunology
MICR*3330	[0.50]	World of Viruses
MICR*4010	[0.50]	Pathogenic Bacteriology
MICR*4280	[0.50]	Microbial Ecology
MICR*4330	[0.50]	Molecular Virology

MICR*4430	[0.50]	Medical Virology
MICR*4520	[0.50]	Microbial Cell Biology
MICR*4530	[0.50]	Immunology II
PATH*3040	[0.50]	Principles of Parasitology

**Credit Summary (20.00 Total Credits)**

4.00 - First year science core

6.50 - Required science courses semesters 3 - 8

3.50 - Restricted electives (# 2 in restricted electives list)

2.00 - Approved Science electives

2.00 - Approved Arts and/or Social Science electives (#1 in restricted electives)

2.00 - Free electives - any approved electives for B.Sc. students.

Of the total credits required, students are required to complete 16.00 credits in science of which a minimum of 2.00 credits must be at the 4000 level and an additional 4.00 credits must be at the 3000 or 4000 level.

**Molecular Biology and Genetics (MBG)****Department of Molecular and Cellular Biology, College of Biological Science**

The B.Sc. program with a Major in Molecular Biology and Genetics is a broadly based program in genetics including related areas of cell and molecular biology. In consultation with the Faculty Advisor, students can choose a general program or can focus their courses in areas such as molecular biology, cell biology, developmental biology, genetics, or agricultural genetics. The program qualifies students for postgraduate training in cell or molecular biology and genetics including clinical genetics and genetic counselling, and provides an excellent background for careers in biotechnology, toxicology, agriculture and medical research. Students may enter this major in Semester 1 or any semester thereafter. A student wishing to declare the major may wish to consult the Faculty Advisor.

**Major (Honours Program)**

A total of 20.00 credits is required to complete the major.

**Semester 1**

BIOL*1090	[0.50]	Introduction to Molecular and Cellular Biology
CHEM*1040	[0.50]	General Chemistry I
MATH*1080	[0.50]	Elements of Calculus I
PHYS*1080	[0.50]	Physics for Life Sciences

0.50 Arts or Social Science electives

Students lacking Grade 12 or 4U Biology, Chemistry or Physics should follow the revised schedule of study for this major found at [https://www.uoguelph.ca/bsc/revised\\_SS](https://www.uoguelph.ca/bsc/revised_SS)

**Semester 2**

BIOL*1070	[0.50]	Discovering Biodiversity
BIOL*1080	[0.50]	Biological Concepts of Health
CHEM*1050	[0.50]	General Chemistry II
PHYS*1070	[0.50]	Physics for Life Sciences II

0.50 Arts or Social Science electives

**Semester 3**

BIOC*2580	[0.50]	Introduction to Biochemistry
MBG*2040	[0.50]	Foundations in Molecular Biology and Genetics
MICR*2420	[0.50]	Introduction to Microbiology
STAT*2040	[0.50]	Statistics I

0.50 Arts or Social Science electives

**Semester 4**

BIOC*3560	[0.50]	Structure and Function in Biochemistry
CHEM*2700	[0.50]	Organic Chemistry I
MCB*2050	[0.50]	Molecular Biology of the Cell
MICR*2430	[0.50]	Methods in Microbial Culture and Physiology

0.50 Arts or Social Science electives

**Semester 5**

MBG*2400	[0.50]	Fundamentals of Plant and Animal Genetics
MBG*3040	[0.50]	Molecular Biology of the Gene
MBG*3350	[0.75]	Laboratory Methods in Molecular Biology I

Electives or restricted electives to a maximum of 2.75 total credits in this semester.

**Semester 6**

2.50 electives or restricted electives

**Semester 7\***

MCB*4500	[1.00]	Research Project in Molecular & Cellular Biology I
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1.50 electives or restricted electives

**Semester 8\***

MCB*4510	[1.00]	Research Project in Molecular & Cellular Biology
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1.50 electives or restricted electives

\*instead of the 2 semester sequence of MCB\*4500 / MCB\*4510 students may choose to take MCB\*4600 and 1.50 subject area electives at the 4000 level.

**Restricted Electives**

- At least 2.00 Arts and/or Social Science electives are required. The list of approved Arts and Social Science electives for B.Sc. students is available at: [https://www.uoguelph.ca/bsc/Approved\\_electives](https://www.uoguelph.ca/bsc/Approved_electives)
- Physiology Elective - 0.50 credits
 

BIOM*3200	[1.00]	Biomedical Physiology
BOT*3310	[0.50]	Plant Growth and Development
HK*2810	[0.50]	Human Physiology I - Concepts and Principles
ZOO*3600	[0.50]	Comparative Animal Physiology I
- Subject Area Electives - 2.50 credits (4.00 if MCB\*4600 is taken instead of MCB\*4500 and MCB\*4510)
 

BIOL*3020	[0.50]	Population Genetics
BIOL*3300	[0.50]	Applied Bioinformatics
MBG*3050	[0.50]	Human Genetics
MBG*3060	[0.50]	Quantitative Genetics
MBG*3080	[0.50]	Bacterial Genetics
MBG*3100	[0.50]	Plant Genetics
MBG*3360	[0.75]	Laboratory Methods in Molecular Biology II
MBG*3660	[0.50]	Genomics
MBG*4030	[0.50]	Animal Breeding Methods and Applications
MBG*4040	[0.50]	Genetics and Molecular Biology of Development
MBG*4110	[0.50]	Epigenetics
MBG*4160	[0.50]	Plant Breeding
MBG*4240	[0.50]	Applied Molecular Genetics in Medicine and Biotechnology
MBG*4270	[0.50]	DNA Replication, Recombination and Repair
MBG*4300	[0.50]	Plant Molecular Genetics
MCB*3010	[0.50]	Dynamics of Cell Function and Signaling
MCB*4010	[0.50]	Advanced Cell Biology
MCB*4050	[0.50]	Protein and Nucleic Acid Structure
MICR*3330	[0.50]	World of Viruses
MICR*4330	[0.50]	Molecular Virology
STAT*2050	[0.50]	Statistics II

**Credit Summary (20.00 Total Credits)**

4.00 - First year science core

7.75 - Required science courses semesters 3 - 8

3.00 - Restricted electives (#2 and 3 in restricted electives list)

1.25 - Approved science electives

2.00 - Arts and/or Social Science electives (#1 in the restricted electives list)

2.00 - Free electives - any approved elective for B.Sc. Students

Of the total credits required, students are required to complete 16.00 credits in science of which a minimum of 2.00 credits must be at the 4000 level and an additional 4.00 credits must be at the 3000 or 4000 level.

**Minor (Honours Program)**

A minor in Molecular Biology and Genetics requires 5.00 credits in Molecular Biology and Genetics chosen in consultation with the faculty advisor, and will include:

MBG*2040	[0.50]	Foundations in Molecular Biology and Genetics
MCB*2050	[0.50]	Molecular Biology of the Cell

A minimum of 4.00 credits from:

BIOC*3560	[0.50]	Structure and Function in Biochemistry
BIOL*3020	[0.50]	Population Genetics
BIOL*3300	[0.50]	Applied Bioinformatics
MBG*2400	[0.50]	Fundamentals of Plant and Animal Genetics
MBG*3040	[0.50]	Molecular Biology of the Gene
MBG*3050	[0.50]	Human Genetics
MBG*3060	[0.50]	Quantitative Genetics
MBG*3080	[0.50]	Bacterial Genetics
MBG*3100	[0.50]	Plant Genetics
MBG*3350	[0.75]	Laboratory Methods in Molecular Biology I
MBG*3660	[0.50]	Genomics
MBG*4030	[0.50]	Animal Breeding Methods and Applications
MBG*4040	[0.50]	Genetics and Molecular Biology of Development
MBG*4110	[0.50]	Epigenetics
MBG*4160	[0.50]	Plant Breeding
MBG*4240	[0.50]	Applied Molecular Genetics in Medicine and Biotechnology
MBG*4270	[0.50]	DNA Replication, Recombination and Repair
MBG*4300	[0.50]	Plant Molecular Genetics
MCB*3010	[0.50]	Dynamics of Cell Function and Signaling
MCB*4010	[0.50]	Advanced Cell Biology
MCB*4050	[0.50]	Protein and Nucleic Acid Structure
MICR*3330	[0.50]	World of Viruses
MICR*4330	[0.50]	Molecular Virology

**Nanoscience (NANO)**

Administered jointly by the Department of Chemistry and the Department of Physics, College of Engineering and Physical Sciences.

**Major (Honours Program)**

The major will require the completion of 20.00 credits as indicated below.

**Semester 1**

BIOL*1090	[0.50]	Introduction to Molecular and Cellular Biology
CHEM*1040	[0.50]	General Chemistry I
IPS*1500	[1.00]	Integrated Mathematics and Physics I
NANO*1000	[0.50]	Introduction to Nanoscience

Students who are lacking one 4U/grade 12 course in Biology, Chemistry or Physics must take the equivalent introductory course in first semester. The required first-year science courses in that subject should be completed according to the revised schedule of studies available at: [https://www.uoguelph.ca/bsc/revised\\_SS](https://www.uoguelph.ca/bsc/revised_SS)

**Semester 2**

CHEM*1050	[0.50]	General Chemistry II
IPS*1510	[1.00]	Integrated Mathematics and Physics II
MATH*1160	[0.50]	Linear Algebra I

One of

BIOL*1070	[0.50]	Discovering Biodiversity
BIOL*1080	[0.50]	Biological Concepts of Health

**Semester 3**

CHEM*2060	[0.50]	Structure and Bonding
MATH*2270	[0.50]	Applied Differential Equations
NANO*2000	[0.50]	Synthesis and Characterization of Nanomaterials I
PHYS*2330	[0.50]	Electricity and Magnetism I

One of

CHEM*2820	[0.50]	Thermodynamics and Kinetics
PHYS*2240	[0.50]	Thermal Physics

**Semester 4**

CHEM*2070	[0.50]	Structure and Spectroscopy
NANO*2100	[0.50]	Synthesis and Characterization of Nanomaterials II
PHYS*2310	[0.50]	Mechanics

1.00 electives\*

**Semester 5**

NANO*3200	[0.50]	Nanolithographic Techniques
NANO*3500	[0.50]	Thin Film Science

One of:

CHEM*3860	[0.50]	Quantum Chemistry
PHYS*3230	[0.50]	Quantum Mechanics I

1.00 electives

**Semester 6**

NANO*3300	[0.50]	Spectroscopy of Nanomaterials
NANO*3600	[0.50]	Computational Methods in Materials Science

1.50 electives

**Semester 7**

NANO*4100	[0.50]	Biological Nanomaterials
NANO*4700	[0.50]	Concepts in Quantum Computing

1.50 electives

**Semester 8**

NANO*4200	[0.50]	Topics in Nanomaterials
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2.00 electives

\* To take PHYS\*3230 in semester 5, PHYS\*2340 must be selected as an elective in semester 4.

**Note:** In semesters 7 and 8, the student must select to do either NANO\*4900 or NANO\*4910.

**Areas of Focus**

In completing the science requirements for the degree, some suggested complementary areas of focus are:

**Chemistry: Inorganic**

Semester 4:	CHEM*2480
Semester 5:	CHEM*3640
Semester 6:	CHEM*3650
Semester 7:	CHEM*4620
Semester 8:	CHEM*2700

**Chemistry: Organic**

Semester 4:	CHEM*2700
Semester 5:	CHEM*3750
Semester 6:	CHEM*3760
Semester 7:	CHEM*4730
Semester 8:	CHEM*2480, CHEM*4720

**Chemistry: Physical/Analytical**

Semester 4: CHEM\*2480  
 Semester 5: CHEM\*3860  
 Semester 6: CHEM\*3430 or CHEM\*3870  
 Semester 7: CHEM\*3440  
 Semester 8: CHEM\*3430 or CHEM\*3870

**Engineering**

Semester 2: CIS\*1500  
 Semester 4: ENGG\*2450  
 Semester 5: ENGG\*2410, ENGG\*3450  
 Semester 6: ENGG\*4550  
 Semester 7: ENGG\*4080

**Mathematics and Statistics**

Semester 4: STAT\*2040  
 Semester 5: STAT\*3100  
 Semester 6: MATH\*2130  
 Semester 8: MATH\*3160, MATH\*4240

**Physics**

Semester 4: PHYS\*2340  
 Semester 5: MATH\*2200, PHYS\*3130  
 Semester 6: PHYS\*3000  
 Semester 7: PHYS\*4180, PHYS\*4240  
 Semester 8: PHYS\*4040, PHYS\*4150

\*Note: Courses marked with an asterisk may require additional prerequisites. Students should consult the relevant course descriptions for further information.

**Credit Summary (20.00 Total Credits)**

4.50 - First year science credits  
 8.00 - Required science courses semesters 3 – 8  
 0.50 or 1.00 - Restricted electives (either NANO 4900 (1.00) or NANO 4910 (0.50) )  
 2.50 to 3.00 - Approved Science electives (depending on restricted elective chosen above)  
 1.00 - Arts and/or Social Science electives  
 3.00 - Free electives - any approved elective for B.Sc. students. (could be less if restricted electives do not count as science)

Of the total credits required, students are required to complete 16.00 credits in science of which 2.00 credits must be at the 4000 level and an additional 4.00 credits must be at the 3000 or 4000 level.

**Nanoscience (NANO:C)**

Administered jointly by the Department of Chemistry and the Department of Physics, College of Engineering and Physical Sciences

**Major (Honours Program)**

The major will require the completion of 20.00 credits as indicated below. To graduate from the co-op program, a minimum of 4 successfully completed work terms is normally required. Students are eligible to participate in a maximum two (2) work terms commencing in the summer and must follow the academic work schedule as outlined in the Co-operative Education & Career Services website: <https://www.recruituelph.ca/cecs/>.

**Semester 1 - Fall**

BIOL*1090	[0.50]	Introduction to Molecular and Cellular Biology
CHEM*1040	[0.50]	General Chemistry I
IPS*1500	[1.00]	Integrated Mathematics and Physics I
NANO*1000	[0.50]	Introduction to Nanoscience

Students who are lacking one 4U/grade 12 course in Biology, Chemistry or Physics must take the equivalent introductory course in first semester. The required first-year science courses in that subject should be completed according to the revised schedule of studies available at: [https://www.uoguelph.ca/bsc/revised\\_SS](https://www.uoguelph.ca/bsc/revised_SS)

**Semester 2 - Winter**

CHEM*1050	[0.50]	General Chemistry II
IPS*1510	[1.00]	Integrated Mathematics and Physics II
MATH*1160	[0.50]	Linear Algebra I

One of:

BIOL*1070	[0.50]	Discovering Biodiversity
BIOL*1080	[0.50]	Biological Concepts of Health

**Semester 3 - Fall**

CHEM*2060	[0.50]	Structure and Bonding
COOP*1100	[0.00]	Introduction to Co-operative Education
MATH*2270	[0.50]	Applied Differential Equations
NANO*2000	[0.50]	Synthesis and Characterization of Nanomaterials I
PHYS*2330	[0.50]	Electricity and Magnetism I

One of:

CHEM*2820	[0.50]	Thermodynamics and Kinetics
PHYS*2240	[0.50]	Thermal Physics

**Semester 4 - Winter**

CHEM*2070	[0.50]	Structure and Spectroscopy
NANO*2100	[0.50]	Synthesis and Characterization of Nanomaterials II
PHYS*2310	[0.50]	Mechanics

1.00 electives\*

**Summer Semester**

COOP*1000	[0.00]	Co-op Work Term I
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**Semester 5 - Fall**

NANO*3200	[0.50]	Nanolithographic Techniques
NANO*3500	[0.50]	Thin Film Science

One of:

CHEM*3860	[0.50]	Quantum Chemistry
PHYS*3230	[0.50]	Quantum Mechanics I

1.00 electives

**Winter Semester**

COOP*2000	[0.00]	Co-op Work Term II (8-month work term in conjunction with COOP*3000)
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**Summer Semester**

COOP*3000	[0.00]	Co-op Work Term III (8-month work term in conjunction with COOP*2000)
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**Semester 6 - Fall**

NANO*4100	[0.50]	Biological Nanomaterials
NANO*4700	[0.50]	Concepts in Quantum Computing

1.50 electives

**Semester 7 - Winter**

NANO*3300	[0.50]	Spectroscopy of Nanomaterials
NANO*3600	[0.50]	Computational Methods in Materials Science

1.50 electives

**Summer Semester**

COOP*4000	[0.00]	Co-op Work Term IV
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**Fall Semester**

COOP*5000	[0.00]	Co-op Work Term V
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**Semester 8 -- Winter**

NANO*4200	[0.50]	Topics in Nanomaterials
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2.00 electives

\* To take PHYS\*3230 in semester 5, then PHYS\*2340 must be selected as an elective in semester 4.

Note: Four work terms are required for the completion of the co-op degree. It is also necessary that there be at least one work term in each of Winter, Fall, and Summer semesters. Therefore, one of the summer work terms could be missed and the student would still graduate successfully. It is only required to complete 4 of the 5 listed work terms. A report is required for each work term completed, even when all 5 are done. Contact the co-op faculty advisor for further details.

Note: In semesters 7 and 8, the student must select to do either NANO\*4900 or NANO\*4910.

**Credit Summary (20.00 Total Credits)**

4.50 - First year science credits  
 8.00 - Required science courses semesters 3 – 8  
 0.50 or 1.00 - Restricted electives (either NANO 4900 (1.00) or NANO 4910 (0.50))  
 2.50 to 3.00 - Approved Science electives (depending on restricted elective chosen above)  
 1.00 - Arts and/or Social Science electives  
 3.00 - Free electives - any approved elective for B.Sc. students. (could be less if restricted electives do not count as science)

Of the total credits required, students are required to complete 16.00 credits in science of which 2.00 credits must be at the 4000 level and an additional 4.00 credits must be at the 3000 or 4000 level.

**Neuroscience (NEUR)**

Departments of Biomedical Sciences (Ontario Veterinary College), Human Health and Nutritional Sciences (College of Biological Science), Molecular & Cellular Biology (College of Biological Science), and Psychology (College of Social and Applied Human Science).

**Major (Honours Program)**

This Honours program provides a foundation in the natural sciences and an opportunity to develop advanced knowledge of nervous system structure and function, and the skills required for independent inquiry within neuroscience. The specialization is unique in its emphasis on integrative/interdisciplinary problem solving. Through the use of electives, students may structure a program that emphasizes molecular and biomedical neuroscience, behavioural and cognitive neuroscience, or comparative neuroscience.

The major prepares students for professional programs in health science (medical, physiotherapy, pharmacy, veterinary medicine, nursing), post-graduate degrees in neuroscience research, and provides a strong foundation for students wishing to pursue careers in the pharmaceutical and biotechnology industries, public health, teaching, and scientific publishing & journalism.

Students may enter this major in Semester 1 or any semester thereafter. A student wishing to declare the major may wish to consult with a Faculty Advisor. A minimum total of 20.00 credits is required to complete the major.

### Semester 1

BIOL*1080	[0.50]	Biological Concepts of Health
CHEM*1040	[0.50]	General Chemistry I
MATH*1080	[0.50]	Elements of Calculus I
PHYS*1080	[0.50]	Physics for Life Sciences

0.50 Arts or Social Science elective

Students lacking Grade 12 or 4U Biology, Chemistry or Physics should follow the revised schedule of study for this major found at: [https://www.uoguelph.ca/bsc/revised\\_SS](https://www.uoguelph.ca/bsc/revised_SS)

### Semester 2

BIOL*1070	[0.50]	Discovering Biodiversity
BIOL*1090	[0.50]	Introduction to Molecular and Cellular Biology
CHEM*1050	[0.50]	General Chemistry II
PHYS*1070	[0.50]	Physics for Life Sciences II
PSYC*1000	[0.50]	Introduction to Psychology

### Semester 3

BIOC*2580	[0.50]	Introduction to Biochemistry
MBG*2040	[0.50]	Foundations in Molecular Biology and Genetics
NEUR*2000	[0.50]	Introduction to Neuroscience

One of:

STAT*2040	[0.50]	Statistics I
PSYC*1010	[0.50]	Making Sense of Data in Psychological Research

0.50 Arts or Social Science elective

### Semester 4

MCB*2050	[0.50]	Molecular Biology of the Cell
PHYS*2030	[0.50]	Biophysics of Excitable Cells

1.50 electives or restricted electives

Note: Physiology restricted elective (# 3) must be taken before registering in BIOM\*3090 in semester 6.

### Semester 5

BIOM*3000	[0.50]	Functional Mammalian Neuroanatomy
NEUR*3100	[0.50]	Molecular Biology of Neurodevelopmental and Degenerative Disease
PSYC*3270	[0.50]	Cognitive Neuroscience
PSYC*3410	[0.50]	Behavioural Neuroscience II

Electives or restricted electives up to 2.75 total credits in this semester

Note: Physiology restricted elective (# 3) must be taken before registering in BIOM\*3090 in semester 6.

### Semester 6

BIOM*3090	[0.50]	Principles of Pharmacology
NEUR*3500	[0.50]	Techniques in Neuroscience

1.50 electives or restricted electives

### Semester 7

NEUR*4000	[0.50]	Current Issues in Neuroscience
NEUR*4100	[0.50]	Neuropharmacology

1.50 electives or restricted electives

### Semester 8

2.50 electives or restricted electives

### Restricted Electives

Students are advised to pay particular attention to pre-requisite requirements when choosing individual courses, and seek advice as needed. \*Indicates courses that require additional prerequisites.

1. A minimum of 0.50 credits of Critical thinking/ Philosophy / Ethics from:

BIOM*3210	[0.50]	Critical Thinking in the Health Sciences
PHIL*2100	[0.50]	Critical Thinking
PHIL*2110	[0.50]	Formal Logic
PHIL*2120	[0.50]	Ethics
PHIL*2180	[0.50]	Philosophy of Science
PHIL*2240	[0.50]	Knowledge and Belief

**Note:** if a PHIL course is completed from this list, students are required to take an additional 0.50 credit approved science course as an elective to ensure the total science requirement is met.

2. A minimum of 0.50 credits of Developmental biology

BIOM*3040	[0.75]	Medical Embryology
MBG*3040	[0.50]	Molecular Biology of the Gene
MBG*4040	[0.50]	Genetics and Molecular Biology of Development

ZOO*3050	[0.50]	Developmental Biology
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3. A minimum of 0.50 credits of Physiology

BIOM*3200	[1.00]	Biomedical Physiology
HK*2810	[0.50]	Human Physiology I - Concepts and Principles
ZOO*3600	[0.50]	Comparative Animal Physiology I

**NOTE:** If HK\*2810 is completed in Semester 4, HK\*3810 must be completed in Semester 5 in order to meet the BIOM\*3090 pre-requisite requirement

4. A minimum of 1.00 credits of Independent Study

This requirement can be met by taking a literature study or research course. For students who are interested in graduate studies, a research course is recommended.

\*Indicates courses that have additional prerequisites.

\*\* faculty advisor will determine if this course is an eligible science elective, depending on the instructor and topic

BIOM*4500	[0.50]	Literature-based Research in Biomedical Sciences
BIOM*4510	[1.00]	Research in Biomedical Sciences
BIOM*4521/2	[2.00]	Research in Biomedical Sciences
HK*4230	[0.50]	Advanced Study in Human Health and Nutritional Sciences

HK*4360	[1.00]	Research in Human Health and Nutritional Sciences
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HK*4371/2	[1.00]	Research in Human Health and Nutritional Sciences II
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IBIO*4500	[1.00]	Research in Integrative Biology I
IBIO*4510	[1.00]	Research in Integrative Biology II
IBIO*4521/2	[2.00]	Thesis in Integrative Biology
MCB*4500	[1.00]	Research Project in Molecular & Cellular Biology I *

MCB*4510	[1.00]	Research Project in Molecular & Cellular Biology *
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MCB*4600	[0.50]	Topics in Molecular and Cellular Biology *
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NEUR*4401/2	[1.00]	Research in Neurosciences
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NEUR*4450	[1.00]	Research in Neurosciences
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PSYC*3240	[0.50]	Independent Research Project **
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PSYC*4240	[0.50]	Advanced Independent Research Project **
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PSYC*4870	[0.50]	Honours Thesis I **
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PSYC*4880	[1.00]	Honours Thesis II **
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5. A minimum of 0.50 credits of additional statistics or experimental design

PSYC*2360	[0.50]	Psychological Methods and Statistics
STAT*2050	[0.50]	Statistics II

### Lists of recommended electives

The following lists contain recommended electives for students wishing to emphasize particular areas in neuroscience.

\*Indicates courses that require additional prerequisites.

#### Psychology

PSYC*2330	[0.50]	Principles of Learning
PSYC*2390	[0.50]	Sensation and Perception
PSYC*2650	[0.50]	Cognitive Psychology
PSYC*3030	[0.50]	Neurochemical Basis of Behaviour *
PSYC*3100	[0.50]	Evolutionary Psychology *
PSYC*3330	[0.50]	Memory and Attention *
PSYC*3410	[0.50]	Behavioural Neuroscience II
PSYC*4470	[0.50]	Advanced Topics in Behavioural and Cognitive Neuroscience
PSYC*4750	[0.50]	Seminar in Motivation and Emotion

#### Computation, Modeling and Statistics

CIS*1500	[0.50]	Introduction to Programming
CIS*2500	[0.50]	Intermediate Programming *
MATH*1160	[0.50]	Linear Algebra I
MATH*2080	[0.50]	Elements of Calculus II
MATH*2270	[0.50]	Applied Differential Equations *
MATH*3510	[0.50]	Biomathematics *
PSYC*3250	[0.50]	Psychological Measurement *
PSYC*3290	[0.50]	Conducting Statistical Analyses in Psychology *
STAT*3240	[0.50]	Applied Regression Analysis *

#### Biological Science

BIOC*3560	[0.50]	Structure and Function in Biochemistry
BIOC*4580	[0.50]	Membrane Biochemistry *
BIOM*4070	[0.50]	Biomedical Histology *
MBG*3050	[0.50]	Human Genetics
MCB*3010	[0.50]	Dynamics of Cell Function and Signaling
MCB*4010	[0.50]	Advanced Cell Biology
ZOO*3000	[0.50]	Comparative Histology

#### Health & Disease

BIOM*3040	[0.75]	Medical Embryology *
BIOM*4030	[0.50]	Endocrine Physiology *

BIOM*4050	[0.50]	Biomedical Aspects of Aging *
HK*3100	[0.50]	Neuromuscular Physiology *
HK*3810	[0.75]	Human Physiology II - Integrated Systems *
HK*4070	[0.50]	Clinical Biomechanics *
TOX*4000	[0.50]	Medical Toxicology *

**Credit Summary (20.00 Total Credits)**

4.00 – First year science core

7.00 – Required science courses semester 3-8

3.00 – Restricted elective (#1,2,3,4,5 in restricted electives list)

2.00 – Approved Science elective\*

0.50 - Required arts and social science elective (PSYC\*1000)

1.00 – Arts and/or Social Science electives

2.50 – Free electives

Of the 20 total credits required, students must complete 16.00 credits in science of which a minimum of 2.00 credits must be at the 4000 level and an additional 4.00 credits must be at the 3000 or 4000 level.

\*2.50 Approved Science Electives if a PHIL\*XXXX course is selected for restricted electives #1

**Minor (Honours Program)**

A minor in Neuroscience requires a minimum of 5.00 credits including:

NEUR*3100	[0.50]	Molecular Biology of Neurodevelopmental and Degenerative Disease
PSYC*1000	[0.50]	Introduction to Psychology
PSYC*2330	[0.50]	Principles of Learning

One of:

NEUR*2000	[0.50]	Introduction to Neuroscience
PSYC*2410	[0.50]	Behavioural Neuroscience I

One of:

PSYC*1010	[0.50]	Making Sense of Data in Psychological Research
STAT*2040	[0.50]	Statistics I

A minimum of 0.50 credits from:

BIOM*2000	[0.50]	Concepts in Human Physiology
BIOM*3200	[1.00]	Biomedical Physiology
HK*2810	[0.50]	Human Physiology I - Concepts and Principles
ZOO*3600	[0.50]	Comparative Animal Physiology I

A minimum of 2.00 credits from:

BIOL*1090	[0.50]	Introduction to Molecular and Cellular Biology
BIOM*3000	[0.50]	Functional Mammalian Neuroanatomy
BIOM*3090	[0.50]	Principles of Pharmacology
BIOM*4030	[0.50]	Endocrine Physiology
HK*3100	[0.50]	Neuromuscular Physiology
MBG*2040	[0.50]	Foundations in Molecular Biology and Genetics
MBG*3050	[0.50]	Human Genetics
MCB*2050	[0.50]	Molecular Biology of the Cell
NEUR*4000	[0.50]	Current Issues in Neuroscience
NEUR*4100	[0.50]	Neuropharmacology
PHYS*2030	[0.50]	Biophysics of Excitable Cells
PHYS*2330	[0.50]	Electricity and Magnetism I
PSYC*2390	[0.50]	Sensation and Perception
PSYC*2650	[0.50]	Cognitive Psychology
PSYC*3030	[0.50]	Neurochemical Basis of Behaviour
PSYC*3270	[0.50]	Cognitive Neuroscience
PSYC*3330	[0.50]	Memory and Attention
PSYC*3410	[0.50]	Behavioural Neuroscience II
PSYC*4750	[0.50]	Seminar in Motivation and Emotion

Of the 2.00 additional credits, students may select one course from:

BIOM*3040	[0.75]	Medical Embryology
MBG*4040	[0.50]	Genetics and Molecular Biology of Development
ZOO*3050	[0.50]	Developmental Biology

Please note that some of the restricted electives require prerequisites that are not included in the minor.

**Nutritional and Nutraceutical Sciences (NANS)****Department of Human Health and Nutritional Sciences, College of Biological Science**

The Nutritional and Nutraceutical Sciences major is concerned with understanding the contribution of food, beverage and nutritional supplement consumption to growth, development of optimal biological function, maintenance of health, and treatment of disease.

If lacking the fundamentals of word processing, spread sheet use and data management, the student should select CIS\*1200 as early in the program as possible.

**Major (Honours Program)**

Students may enter this major in Semester 1 or any semester thereafter. A student wishing to declare the major may wish to consult the Faculty Advisor. A total of 20.00 credits is required.

**Semester 1**

BIOL*1080	[0.50]	Biological Concepts of Health
CHEM*1040	[0.50]	General Chemistry I
MATH*1080	[0.50]	Elements of Calculus I
PHYS*1080	[0.50]	Physics for Life Sciences

0.50 Arts or Social Science electives

Students lacking Grade 12 or 4U Biology, Chemistry or Physics should follow the revised schedule of study for this major found at [https://www.uoguelph.ca/bsc/revised\\_SS](https://www.uoguelph.ca/bsc/revised_SS)

**Semester 2**

BIOL*1070	[0.50]	Discovering Biodiversity
BIOL*1090	[0.50]	Introduction to Molecular and Cellular Biology
CHEM*1050	[0.50]	General Chemistry II
PHYS*1070	[0.50]	Physics for Life Sciences II

0.50 arts or social science electives

**Semester 3**

BIOC*2580	[0.50]	Introduction to Biochemistry
MBG*2040	[0.50]	Foundations in Molecular Biology and Genetics
STAT*2040	[0.50]	Statistics I

0.50 electives or restricted electives

0.50 arts or social science electives

**Semester 4**

BIOC*3560	[0.50]	Structure and Function in Biochemistry
HK*2810	[0.50]	Human Physiology I - Concepts and Principles
MCB*2050	[0.50]	Molecular Biology of the Cell
NUTR*3210	[0.50]	Fundamentals of Nutrition

0.50 arts or social science electives

**Semester 5**

HK*3810	[0.75]	Human Physiology II - Integrated Systems
NUTR*3330	[0.50]	Micronutrients, Phytochemicals and Health
NUTR*3360	[0.50]	Lifestyle Genomics
NUTR*3390	[0.75]	Applied Nutritional and Nutraceutical Sciences I

**Semester 6**

BIOM*3090	[0.50]	Principles of Pharmacology
NUTR*4090	[0.50]	Functional Foods and Nutraceuticals
NUTR*4320	[0.50]	Nutrition and Metabolic Control of Disease
NUTR*4330	[0.75]	Applied Nutritional and Nutraceutical Sciences II

Electives or restricted electives to a maximum of 2.75 total credits in this semester.

**Semester 7**

NUTR*4210	[0.50]	Nutrition, Exercise and Energy Metabolism
NUTR*4510	[0.50]	Toxicology, Nutrition and Food

1.50 electives or restricted electives

**Semester 8**

2.50 electives or restricted electives

**Restricted Electives**

1. 2.00 credits of Approved Arts and Social Science electives

2. 1.00 credits from the following:

HK*4230	[0.50]	Advanced Study in Human Health and Nutritional Sciences
HK*4340	[0.50]	Genomics: Exercise and Disease
HK*4360	[1.00]	Research in Human Health and Nutritional Sciences
HK*4371/2	[1.00]	Research in Human Health and Nutritional Sciences II
HK*4510	[1.00]	Teaching, Learning & Knowledge Transfer
HK*4511/2	[1.00]	Teaching, Learning & Knowledge Transfer II
HK*4460	[0.50]	Regulation of Human Metabolism
NUTR*4360	[0.50]	Current Issues in Nutrigenomics
PATH*3610	[0.50]	Principles of Disease

**Credit Summary (20.00 Total Credits)**

4.00 - First year science core

9.25 - Required science courses semesters 3 - 8

1.00 - Restricted electives (#2 in restricted electives list)

1.75 - Approved science electives

2.00 - Approved Arts and/or Social Science electives (#1 in restricted electives list)

2.00 - Free electives - any approved electives for B.Sc. students.

Of the total credits required, students are required to complete 16.00 credits in science of which a minimum of 2.00 credits must be at the 4000 level and an additional 4.00 credits must be at the 3000 or 4000 level.

**Minor (Honours Program)**

A minor in Nutritional and Nutraceutical Sciences (NANS) requires 5.00 credits as follows:

BIOC*2580	[0.50]	Introduction to Biochemistry
NUTR*3210	[0.50]	Fundamentals of Nutrition
NUTR*3330	[0.50]	Micronutrients, Phytochemicals and Health
NUTR*4090	[0.50]	Functional Foods and Nutraceuticals
STAT*2040	[0.50]	Statistics I



At least 0.50 credits from:

ANSC*3080	[0.50]	Agricultural Animal Physiology (restricted to ABIO majors)
BIOM*3200	[1.00]	Biomedical Physiology
HK*2810	[0.50]	Human Physiology I - Concepts and Principles
ZOO*3600	[0.50]	Comparative Animal Physiology I

and 2.00 credits from:

ANSC*3170	[0.50]	Nutrition of Fish and Crustacea
ANSC*3180	[0.50]	Wildlife Nutrition
ANSC*4260	[0.50]	Beef Cattle Nutrition
ANSC*4270	[0.50]	Dairy Cattle Nutrition
ANSC*4280	[0.50]	Poultry Nutrition
ANSC*4290	[0.50]	Swine Nutrition
ANSC*4560	[0.50]	Pet Nutrition
EQN*4020	[0.50]	Advanced Equine Nutrition
FOOD*2010	[0.50]	Principles of Food Science
HK*3810	[0.75]	Human Physiology II - Integrated Systems
HK*4230	[0.50]	Advanced Study in Human Health and Nutritional Sciences
HK*4340	[0.50]	Genomics: Exercise and Disease
HK*4360	[1.00]	Research in Human Health and Nutritional Sciences
HK*4371/2	[1.00]	Research in Human Health and Nutritional Sciences II
HK*4510	[1.00]	Teaching, Learning & Knowledge Transfer
HK*4511/2	[1.00]	Teaching, Learning & Knowledge Transfer II
NUTR*2150	[0.50]	Introduction to Nutritional and Food Sciences
NUTR*3360	[0.50]	Lifestyle Genomics
NUTR*3390	[0.75]	Applied Nutritional and Nutraceutical Sciences I
NUTR*4210	[0.50]	Nutrition, Exercise and Energy Metabolism
NUTR*4320	[0.50]	Nutrition and Metabolic Control of Disease
NUTR*4330	[0.75]	Applied Nutritional and Nutraceutical Sciences II
NUTR*4360	[0.50]	Current Issues in Nutrigenomics
NUTR*4510	[0.50]	Toxicology, Nutrition and Food

## Physical Science (PSCI)

### College of Engineering and Physical Sciences

#### Major (Honours Program)

Students may enter this major in Semester 1 or any semester thereafter. A student wishing to declare the major may wish to consult the Faculty Advisor. This major will require the completion of 20.00 credits as indicated below:

##### 1. Basic Science Core - 4.00 credits

- 1.00 - Biology (BIOL\*1070, BIOL\*1080, BIOL\*1090)
- 1.00 - Chemistry (CHEM\*1040, CHEM\*1050)\*
- 1.00 - Physics [ PHYS\*1080, (1 of PHYS\*1010, PHYS\*1070, PHYS\*1130)]\*
- 1.00 - Mathematical Science [(MATH\*1080, MATH\*2080) or (MATH\*1200, MATH\*1210)]

\* IPS\*1500 can be taken instead of PHYS\*1080 and MATH\*1200, and IPS\*1510 can be taken instead of PHYS\*1010 and MATH\*1210.

##### 2. Subject Area Core - 8.00 credits

- 0.50 STAT\*2040
- 0.50 (CIS\*1200 or CIS\*1500 )
- 7.00 physical science credits, including at least 4.00 credits at the 3000 or 4000 level of which 2.00 credits must be at the 4000 level.

##### 3. Science Electives - 4.00 credits

- 4.00 science credits from the List of Approved Science Electives for B.Sc. Students\*

##### 4. Arts and Social Science Electives - 2.00

- 2.00 acceptable Arts or Social Science credits selected from the List of Approved B.Sc. Electives\*

##### 5. Free Electives - 2.00 credits

**Note:** the program must include a total of 6.00 science credits at the 3000 or 4000 level. Of these, at least 2.00 credits must be physical science at the 4000 level.

#### Semester 1

CHEM*1040	[0.50]	General Chemistry I
PHYS*1080	[0.50]	Physics for Life Sciences

One of:

MATH*1080	[0.50]	Elements of Calculus I
MATH*1200	[0.50]	Calculus I

\* IPS\*1500 can be taken instead of PHYS\*1080 and MATH\*1200.

One of

BIOL*1070	[0.50]	Discovering Biodiversity
BIOL*1080	[0.50]	Biological Concepts of Health
BIOL*1090	[0.50]	Introduction to Molecular and Cellular Biology

0.50 Arts or Social Science electives

Students lacking Grade 12 or 4U Biology, Chemistry or Physics should follow the revised schedule of study for this major found at: [https://www.uoguelph.ca/bsc/revised\\_SS](https://www.uoguelph.ca/bsc/revised_SS)

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#### Semester 2

CHEM*1050	[0.50]	General Chemistry II
One of:		
PHYS*1010	[0.50]	Introductory Electricity and Magnetism
PHYS*1080	[0.50]	Physics for Life Sciences
PHYS*1130	[0.50]	Physics with Applications

One of:

MATH*1210	[0.50]	Calculus II
MATH*2080	[0.50]	Elements of Calculus II
IPS*1510 can be taken instead of PHYS*1010 and MATH*1210.		

One of

BIOL*1070	[0.50]	Discovering Biodiversity
BIOL*1080	[0.50]	Biological Concepts of Health
BIOL*1090	[0.50]	Introduction to Molecular and Cellular Biology

0.50 Arts or Social Science electives

#### Semester 3

1.50 science electives from the approved list of acceptable B.Sc. science electives\*  
0.50 electives

One of:

CIS*1200	[0.50]	Introduction to Computing
CIS*1500	[0.50]	Introduction to Programming

OR

STAT*2040	[0.50]	Statistics I
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#### Semester 4

1.50 science electives from the approved list of B.Sc. science electives\*  
0.50 electives

One of:

CIS*1200	[0.50]	Introduction to Computing
CIS*1500	[0.50]	Introduction to Programming

(if a statistics course is chosen in Semester 3)

OR

STAT*2040	[0.50]	Statistics I
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(if a computing course is chosen in Semester 3)

#### Semester 5 to 8

Total of 2.50 credits per semester including at least 2.00 science electives.

Sufficient courses at the 3000 or 4000 level must be selected in Semesters 5 through 8 to total 6.00 credits in science at the 3000 or 4000 level with at least 2.00 physical science at the 4000 level.

\*approved course lists are available in the B.Sc. Academic Counselling Office or at: [https://www.uoguelph.ca/bsc/Approved\\_electives](https://www.uoguelph.ca/bsc/Approved_electives)

#### Credit Summary (20.00 Total Credits)

- 4.00 - First year science credits
- 8.00 - Subject area core semesters 3 – 8 (including STAT 2040 and CIS 1200 or CIS 1500)
- 4.00 - Approved Science electives
- 2.00 - Arts and/or Social Science electives (# 1 in restricted elective list)
- 2.00 - Free electives - any approved elective for B.Sc. students. (could be less if restricted electives do not count as science)

Of the total credits required, students are required to complete 16.00 credits in science of which 2.00 credits must be at the 4000 level and an additional 4.00 credits must be at the 3000 or 4000 level.

#### Honours Physical Science (With a Minor)

The requirements and schedules are the same as for Honours Physical Science. Available Minor subjects are listed at the beginning of the B.Sc. Program section under the heading Honours Program Minors.

#### Physics (PHYS)

##### Department of Physics, College of Engineering and Physical Sciences

Students may enter this major in Semester 1 or any semester thereafter. A student wishing to declare the major may wish to consult the Faculty Advisor. Since some of the required courses are not offered every semester, students entering the Major in Honours Physics should plan their program in consultation with the Department of Physics Faculty Advisor.

#### Major (Honours Program)

This major requires the completion of 20.00 credits. At least 1.00 credits must be from Arts and/or Social Science courses.

##### Semester 1\*

CHEM*1040	[0.50]	General Chemistry I
IPS*1500	[1.00]	Integrated Mathematics and Physics I
MATH*1160	[0.50]	Linear Algebra I

One of:

BIOL*1070	[0.50]	Discovering Biodiversity
BIOL*1080	[0.50]	Biological Concepts of Health

BIOL\*1090 [0.50] Introduction to Molecular and Cellular Biology  
Students who are lacking one 4U/grade 12 course in Biology, Chemistry or Physics must take the equivalent introductory course in first semester. The required first-year science courses in that subject should be completed according to the revised schedule of studies available at: [https://www.uoguelph.ca/bsc/revised\\_SS](https://www.uoguelph.ca/bsc/revised_SS)

**Semester 2\***

CHEM\*1050 [0.50] General Chemistry II  
CIS\*1500 [0.50] Introduction to Programming  
IPS\*1510 [1.00] Integrated Mathematics and Physics II

One of:

BIOL\*1070 [0.50] Discovering Biodiversity  
BIOL\*1080 [0.50] Biological Concepts of Health  
BIOL\*1090 [0.50] Introduction to Molecular and Cellular Biology

\* students who have taken physics courses other than IPS\*1500 or PHYS\*1080 in Semester 1 and IPS\*1510 or PHYS\*1010 in Semester 2, may proceed to semester 3 with the permission of the [Department of Physics](#)

**Semester 3**

MATH\*2200 [0.50] Advanced Calculus I  
MATH\*2270 [0.50] Applied Differential Equations  
PHYS\*2240 [0.50] Thermal Physics  
PHYS\*2330 [0.50] Electricity and Magnetism I

0.50 Arts or Social Science electives

**Semester 4**

PHYS\*2180 [0.50] Experimental Techniques in Physics  
PHYS\*2310 [0.50] Mechanics  
PHYS\*2340 [0.50] Electricity and Magnetism II

1.00 electives

**Semester 5**

IPS\*3000 [0.50] Science Communication  
PHYS\*3130 [0.50] Mathematical Physics  
PHYS\*3230 [0.50] Quantum Mechanics I  
PHYS\*3400 [0.50] Advanced Mechanics

0.50 electives

**Semester 6**

NANO\*3600 [0.50] Computational Methods in Materials Science  
PHYS\*3000 [0.50] Optics: Fundamentals and Applications  
PHYS\*3510 [0.50] Intermediate Laboratory  
PHYS\*4040 [0.50] Quantum Mechanics II

One of:

MATH\*3260 [0.50] Complex Analysis

0.50 electives

**Semester 7+**

PHYS\*4500 [0.50] Advanced Physics Laboratory  
PHYS\*4180 [0.50] Advanced Electromagnetic Theory

One of:

PHYS\*4240 [0.50] Statistical Physics II

0.50 electives

One of:

PHYS\*4001 [0.50] Research in Physics

0.50 electives

0.50 electives \*\*

**Semester 8+**

One of:

PHYS\*4002 [0.50] Research in Physics

0.50 electives\*\*

2.00 electives \*\*

+ students going on to graduate school in physics should take PHYS\*4001/2, PHYS\*4120, PHYS\*4130, PHYS\*4150, PHYS\*4240

\*\* At least 1.50 credits must be from lists A and B below. At least 1.00 credits must be from list A. Substitutions of courses in list B by other 3000 or 4000 level courses must be approved by the Physics Faculty Advisor.

**List A**

PHYS\*4120 [0.50] Atomic and Molecular Physics  
PHYS\*4130 [0.50] Subatomic Physics  
PHYS\*4150 [0.50] Solid State Physics

**List B**

EDRD\*3120 [0.50] Educational Communication  
ENVS\*3060 [0.50] Groundwater  
GEOG\*3420 [0.50] Remote Sensing of the Environment  
MATH\*3200 [0.50] Real Analysis  
PHYS\*3170 [0.50] Radioactivity and Radiation Interactions  
PHYS\*4070 [0.50] Clinical Applications of Physics in Medicine  
PHYS\*4540 [0.50] Molecular Biophysics  
PHYS\*4910 [0.50] Advanced Topics in Physics I

PHYS\*4920 [0.50] Advanced Topics in Physics II  
PHYS\*4930 [0.50] Advanced Topics in Physics III  
POLN\*3370 [0.50] Environmental Politics and Governance  
STAT\*3240 [0.50] Applied Regression Analysis  
STAT\*3510 [0.50] Environmental Risk Assessment

**Credit Summary (20.00 Total Credits)**

5.00 - First year science credits

8.50 - Required science courses semesters 3 – 8

1.50 - Restricted electives (1.00 credits from List A and 0.50 credits from List B, some restricted electives from List B do not count as science electives towards degree therefore may need additional science electives)

1.00 or 1.50 - Approved Science electives (depending on restricted electives chosen)

1.00 - Arts and/or Social Science electives

2.50 - 3.00 - Free electives - any approved elective for B.Sc. students, could be less if restricted electives do not count as science

Of the total credits required, students are required to complete 16.00 credits in science of which 2.00 credits must be at the 4000 level and an additional 4.00 credits must be at the 3000 or 4000 level.

**Minor (Honours Program)**

A minor in Physics requires 5.00 credits in interdisciplinary physical science or physics courses including:

PHYS\*2180 [0.50] Experimental Techniques in Physics  
PHYS\*2310 [0.50] Mechanics  
PHYS\*2330 [0.50] Electricity and Magnetism I  
PHYS\*2340 [0.50] Electricity and Magnetism II

A maximum of 1.00 credits from the following courses may be used towards the minor:

PHYS\*1010 [0.50] Introductory Electricity and Magnetism  
PHYS\*1070 [0.50] Physics for Life Sciences II  
PHYS\*1080 [0.50] Physics for Life Sciences  
PHYS\*1130 [0.50] Physics with Applications  
IPS\*1510 [1.00] Integrated Mathematics and Physics II

A minimum of 1.00 credits are required at the 3000 or 4000 level.

**NOTE:** PHYS\*1300, PHYS\*1600 and PHYS\*1810 may not be taken for credit toward this minor.

**Physics (Co-op) (PHYS:C)****Department of Physics, College of Engineering and Physical Sciences**

Since some of the required courses are not offered every semester, students entering the Major in Physics (Co-op) should plan their program in consultation with the Department of Physics Faculty Advisor. To graduate from the Co-op program, successfully completed work terms are required. Students are eligible to participate in a maximum two (2) work terms commencing in the summer and must follow the academic work schedule as outlined in the Co-operative Education & Career Services website: <https://www.recruitguelph.ca/cecs/>.

**Major (Honours Program)**

This major requires the completion of 20.00 credits.

**Semester 1 - Fall**

CHEM\*1040 [0.50] General Chemistry I  
IPS\*1500 [1.00] Integrated Mathematics and Physics I  
MATH\*1160 [0.50] Linear Algebra I

One of:

BIOL\*1070 [0.50] Discovering Biodiversity  
BIOL\*1080 [0.50] Biological Concepts of Health  
BIOL\*1090 [0.50] Introduction to Molecular and Cellular Biology

Students who are lacking one 4U/grade 12 course in Biology, Chemistry or Physics must take the equivalent introductory course in first semester. The required first-year science courses in that subject should be completed according to the revised schedule of studies available at: [https://www.uoguelph.ca/bsc/revised\\_SS](https://www.uoguelph.ca/bsc/revised_SS)

**Semester 2 - Winter**

CHEM\*1050 [0.50] General Chemistry II  
CIS\*1500 [0.50] Introduction to Programming  
IPS\*1510 [1.00] Integrated Mathematics and Physics II

One of:

BIOL\*1070 [0.50] Discovering Biodiversity  
BIOL\*1080 [0.50] Biological Concepts of Health  
BIOL\*1090 [0.50] Introduction to Molecular and Cellular Biology

**Semester 3 - Fall**

COOP\*1100 [0.00] Introduction to Co-operative Education  
MATH\*2200 [0.50] Advanced Calculus I  
MATH\*2270 [0.50] Applied Differential Equations  
PHYS\*2240 [0.50] Thermal Physics  
PHYS\*2330 [0.50] Electricity and Magnetism I

0.50 Arts or Social Science electives\*

**Semester 4 - Winter**

PHYS*2180	[0.50]	Experimental Techniques in Physics
PHYS*2310	[0.50]	Mechanics
PHYS*2340	[0.50]	Electricity and Magnetism II

One of:

CIS*2500	[0.50]	Intermediate Programming
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0.50 electives

0.50 electives

**Summer Semester**

COOP*1000	[0.00]	Co-op Work Term I ++
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**Semester 5 - Fall**

IPS*3000	[0.50]	Science Communication
PHYS*3130	[0.50]	Mathematical Physics
PHYS*3230	[0.50]	Quantum Mechanics I
PHYS*3400	[0.50]	Advanced Mechanics

0.50 electives

**Winter Semester**

COOP*2000	[0.00]	Co-op Work Term II ++ (8-month work term in conjunction with COOP*3000)
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**Summer Semester**

COOP*3000	[0.00]	Co-op Work Term III ++ (8-month work term in conjunction with COOP*2000)
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**Semester 6 - Fall +**

PHYS*4180	[0.50]	Advanced Electromagnetic Theory
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One of:

CIS*2520	[0.50]	Data Structures
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0.50 electives\*\*

One of:

PHYS*4240	[0.50]	Statistical Physics II
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0.50 electives\*\*

1.00 electives \*\*

**Semester 7 - Winter +**

NANO*3600	[0.50]	Computational Methods in Materials Science
PHYS*3000	[0.50]	Optics: Fundamentals and Applications
PHYS*3510	[0.50]	Intermediate Laboratory
PHYS*4040	[0.50]	Quantum Mechanics II

One of:

MATH*3260	[0.50]	Complex Analysis
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0.50 electives\*\*

**Summer Semester**

COOP*4000	[0.00]	Co-op Work Term IV ++
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**Fall Semester**

COOP*5000	[0.00]	Co-op Work Term V ++
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**Semester 8 - Winter +**

PHYS*4500	[0.50]	Advanced Physics Laboratory
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One of:

PHYS*4130	[0.50]	Subatomic Physics
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0.50 electives\*\*

One of:

PHYS*4150	[0.50]	Solid State Physics
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0.50 electives\*\*

1.00 electives\*\*

\* 1.00 credits must be taken as Arts or Social Science electives in this Major

+ students going on to graduate school in physics should take PHYS\*4130, PHYS\*4150, and PHYS\*4240

\*\*At least 1.50 credits must be from lists A and B below. At least 1.00 credits must be from list A. Substitutions of courses in list B by other 3000 or 4000 level courses must be approved by the Physics Faculty Advisor.

++Four work terms are required for the completion of the co-op degree. It is also necessary that there be at least one work term in each of Fall, Winter and Summer semesters. Therefore, one of the summer work terms could be missed and the student would still graduate successfully. Whether the student completes four or five work terms, a report is required for each work term completed. Contact the co-op faculty advisor for further details.

**List A**

PHYS*4130	[0.50]	Subatomic Physics
PHYS*4150	[0.50]	Solid State Physics
PHYS*4240	[0.50]	Statistical Physics II

**List B**

EDRD*3120	[0.50]	Educational Communication
ENVS*3060	[0.50]	Groundwater
GEOG*3420	[0.50]	Remote Sensing of the Environment
MATH*3200	[0.50]	Real Analysis

PHYS*3170	[0.50]	Radioactivity and Radiation Interactions
PHYS*4070	[0.50]	Clinical Applications of Physics in Medicine
PHYS*4540	[0.50]	Molecular Biophysics
PHYS*4910	[0.50]	Advanced Topics in Physics I
PHYS*4920	[0.50]	Advanced Topics in Physics II
PHYS*4930	[0.50]	Advanced Topics in Physics III
POLS*3370	[0.50]	Environmental Politics and Governance
STAT*3240	[0.50]	Applied Regression Analysis
STAT*3510	[0.50]	Environmental Risk Assessment

**Credit Summary (20.00 Total Credits)**

5.00 - First year science credits

8.50 - Required science courses semesters 3 – 8

1.50 - Restricted electives (1.00 credits from List A and 0.50 credits from List B, some restricted electives from List B do not count as science electives towards degree therefore may need additional science electives)

1.00 or 1.50 - Approved Science electives (depending on restricted electives chosen)

1.00 - Arts and/or Social Science electives

2.50 - 3.00 - Free electives - any approved elective for B.Sc. students. , could be less if restricted electives do not count as science

Of the total credits required, students are required to complete 16.00 credits in science of which 2.00 credits must be at the 4000 level and an additional 4.00 credits must be at the 3000 or 4000 level.

**Plant Science (PLSC)****Department of Plant Agriculture, Ontario Agricultural College****School of Environmental Sciences, Ontario Agricultural College****Department of Integrative Biology, College of Biological Science****Department of Molecular and Cellular Biology, College of Biological Science****Major (Honours Program)**

Students may enter this major in Semester 1 or any semester thereafter. A student wishing to declare the major may wish to consult the Faculty Advisor. The major requires the completion of 20.00 credits.

**Semester 1**

BIOL*1070	[0.50]	Discovering Biodiversity
CHEM*1040	[0.50]	General Chemistry I
MATH*1080	[0.50]	Elements of Calculus I
PHYS*1080	[0.50]	Physics for Life Sciences

0.50 Arts or Social Science electives

Students lacking Grade 12 or 4U Biology, Chemistry or Physics should follow the revised schedule of study for this major found at: [https://www.uoguelph.ca/bsc/revised\\_SS](https://www.uoguelph.ca/bsc/revised_SS)**Semester 2**

BIOL*1090	[0.50]	Introduction to Molecular and Cellular Biology
CHEM*1050	[0.50]	General Chemistry II
PHYS*1070	[0.50]	Physics for Life Sciences II

One of:

CIS*1200	[0.50]	Introduction to Computing
CIS*1500	[0.50]	Introduction to Programming
MATH*2080	[0.50]	Elements of Calculus II

0.50 Arts or Social Science electives

**Semester 3**

AGR*2470	[0.50]	Introduction to Plant Agriculture
BIOC*2580	[0.50]	Introduction to Biochemistry
BOT*2100	[0.50]	Life Strategies of Plants
MBG*2040	[0.50]	Foundations in Molecular Biology and Genetics

0.50 Arts and Social Science electives

**Semester 4**

MCB*2050	[0.50]	Molecular Biology of the Cell
STAT*2040	[0.50]	Statistics I

One of:

AGR*2050	[0.50]	Agroecology
BIOL*2060	[0.50]	Ecology

1.00 electives or restricted electives

**Semester 5**

BOT*3410	[0.50]	Plant Anatomy
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2.00 electives or restricted electives

**Semester 6**

BOT*3310	[0.50]	Plant Growth and Development
BOT*3710	[0.50]	Plant Diversity and Evolution

1.50 electives or restricted electives

**Semester 7**

2.50 electives or restricted electives

**Semester 8**

BOT\*4380 [0.50] Metabolism in the Whole Life of Plants  
2.00 electives or restricted electives

**Program Requirements**

1. Students must declare an area of emphasis in one of the 4 following areas: Applied Plant Science, Botany, Plant Biotechnology, Plant Environmental Science or Unspecialized.
2. Students must complete at least 5.00 credits from within their area of emphasis

**Restricted Electives**

1. A minimum of 1.50 credits of Arts and Social Science electives
2. 5.00 credits from within their area of emphasis from the lists below

**Note:** Restricted electives indicated with † are non-science electives. If non-science restricted electives are chosen students are reminded that they will still be responsible for meeting the minimum requirement of 16.00 credits in science and that the credit summary may vary from what is specified below.

**Note:** Restricted electives indicated with \*\* require other restricted electives as prerequisites. Students should consult the most recent undergraduate calendar for specific requirements.

‡ Students interested in graduate studies are encouraged to take two semesters of research projects which will count towards restricted elective requirements in an area of emphasis:

AGR*4450	[1.00]	Research Project I
AGR*4460	[1.00]	Research Project II
or		
IBIO*4500	[1.00]	Research in Integrative Biology I
IBIO*4510	[1.00]	Research in Integrative Biology II
or		
MCB*4500	[1.00]	Research Project in Molecular & Cellular Biology I
MCB*4510	[1.00]	Research Project in Molecular & Cellular Biology

**Credit Summary (20.00 Total Credits)**

4.00 - First year science core

5.50 - Required science courses semesters 3 - 8

5.00 - Restricted electives for the declared area of emphasis (#2)

1.50 - Approved science electives, if all restricted electives chosen are approved science electives.

1.50 - Arts and/or Social Science electives

2.50 - Free electives - any approved elective for B.Sc. Students (may be less if restricted electives do not count as science)

Of the total credits required, students are required to complete 16.00 credits in science of which 2.00 credits must be at the 4000 level and an additional 4.00 credits must be at the 3000 or 4000 level.

**Area of Emphasis****Applied Plant Science (APSC)**

CROP*4240	[0.50]	Weed Science
ENVS*2060	[0.50]	Soil Science
ENVS*3210	[0.50]	Plant Pathology
ENVS*4100	[0.50]	Integrated Management of Invasive Insect Pests **

‡ 3.00 credits from:

AGR*3450	[0.50]	Research Methods in Agricultural Science
CROP*3300	[0.50]	Grain Crops
CROP*3310	[0.50]	Protein and Oilseed Crops
CROP*3340	[0.50]	Managed Grasslands
CROP*4220	[0.50]	Cropping Systems **
ENVS*2040	[0.50]	Plant Health and the Environment
ENVS*2340	[0.50]	Current Issues in Agriculture and Landscape Management
ENVS*3020	[0.50]	Pesticides and the Environment
ENVS*3080	[0.50]	Soil and Water Conservation **
ENVS*3140	[0.50]	Management of Turfgrass Diseases **
ENVS*3310	[0.50]	Soil Biodiversity and Ecosystem Function **
ENVS*4090	[0.50]	Soil Management
HORT*2450	[0.50]	Introduction to Turfgrass Science
HORT*3010	[0.50]	Annual, Perennial and Indoor Plants - Identification and Use
HORT*3050	[0.50]	Management of Turfgrass Insect Pests and Weeds **
HORT*3150	[0.50]	Principles and Applications of Plant Propagation
HORT*3270	[0.50]	Medicinal Plants
HORT*3280	[0.50]	Greenhouse Production
HORT*3310	[0.50]	Plants, Food and Health
HORT*3430	[0.50]	Wine-Grape Culture
HORT*3510	[0.50]	Vegetable Production
HORT*4200	[0.50]	Plants, the Environment and Society **

HORT*4300	[0.50]	Postharvest Physiology
HORT*4420	[0.50]	Fruit Crops
HORT*4450	[0.50]	Advanced Turfgrass Science **
LARC*2240	[0.50]	Plants in the Landscape
MBG*2400	[0.50]	Fundamentals of Plant and Animal Genetics
MBG*3100	[0.50]	Plant Genetics
MBG*4160	[0.50]	Plant Breeding
OAGR*2070	[1.00]	Introduction to Organic Agriculture
OAGR*4050	[1.00]	Design of Organic Production Systems
PBIO*3110	[0.50]	Crop Physiology
PBIO*3750	[0.50]	Plant Tissue Culture
PBIO*4750	[0.50]	Genetic Engineering of Plants
STAT*2050	[0.50]	Statistics II
STAT*3210	[0.50]	Experimental Design

**Botany (BOT)**

BOT*3050	[0.50]	Plant Functional Ecology
MBG*3100	[0.50]	Plant Genetics
PBIO*4000	[0.50]	Molecular and Cellular Aspects of Plant-Microbe Interactions
PBIO*4150	[0.50]	Molecular and Cellular Aspects of Plant Development

‡ 3.00 credits from:

AGR*3450	[0.50]	Research Methods in Agricultural Science
MBG*4300	[0.50]	Plant Molecular Genetics
MICR*2420	[0.50]	Introduction to Microbiology
MICR*3090	[0.50]	Mycology
MICR*3220	[0.50]	Plant Microbiology
PBIO*3110	[0.50]	Crop Physiology
PBIO*3750	[0.50]	Plant Tissue Culture
PBIO*4750	[0.50]	Genetic Engineering of Plants
STAT*2050	[0.50]	Statistics II
STAT*3210	[0.50]	Experimental Design **

**Plant Biotechnology (PBTC)**

MBG*3100	[0.50]	Plant Genetics
MBG*3350	[0.75]	Laboratory Methods in Molecular Biology I
PBIO*3750	[0.50]	Plant Tissue Culture
PBIO*4750	[0.50]	Genetic Engineering of Plants

‡ minimum of 2.75 credits from:

AGR*3450	[0.50]	Research Methods in Agricultural Science
BIOL*3300	[0.50]	Applied Bioinformatics
MBG*2400	[0.50]	Fundamentals of Plant and Animal Genetics
MBG*3660	[0.50]	Genomics
MBG*4160	[0.50]	Plant Breeding
MBG*4300	[0.50]	Plant Molecular Genetics
MCB*4010	[0.50]	Advanced Cell Biology
MICR*2420	[0.50]	Introduction to Microbiology
MICR*3220	[0.50]	Plant Microbiology
MICR*3230	[0.50]	Immunology
MICR*3330	[0.50]	World of Viruses
PBIO*3110	[0.50]	Crop Physiology
PBIO*4150	[0.50]	Molecular and Cellular Aspects of Plant Development
STAT*2050	[0.50]	Statistics II
STAT*3210	[0.50]	Experimental Design **

**Plant Environmental Science (PESC)**

BOT*3050	[0.50]	Plant Functional Ecology
ENVS*2040	[0.50]	Plant Health and the Environment
ENVS*4350	[0.50]	Forest Ecology
GEOG*2480	[0.50]	Mapping and GIS

‡ 3.00 credits from:

AGR*3450	[0.50]	Research Methods in Agricultural Science
BIOL*3010	[0.50]	Laboratory and Field Work in Ecology
BIOL*3060	[0.50]	Populations, Communities & Ecosystems
BIOL*3130	[0.50]	Conservation Biology
BIOL*4500	[0.50]	Natural Resource Policy Analysis
ENVS*2060	[0.50]	Soil Science
ENVS*2120	[0.50]	Introduction to Environmental Stewardship
ENVS*2330	[0.50]	Current Issues in Ecosystem Science and Biodiversity
ENVS*3000	[0.50]	Nature Interpretation
ENVS*3020	[0.50]	Pesticides and the Environment
ENVS*3040	[0.50]	Natural Chemicals in the Environment
ENVS*3090	[0.50]	Insect Diversity and Biology
ENVS*3210	[0.50]	Plant Pathology
ENVS*3250	[0.50]	Forest Health and Disease
ENVS*4100	[0.50]	Integrated Management of Invasive Insect Pests **
GEOG*2210	[0.50]	Environment and Resources
GEOG*3210	[0.50]	Management of the Biophysical Environment **
GEOG*4210	[0.50]	Environmental Governance **
GEOG*4220	[0.50]	Local Environmental Management

LARC*3320	[0.50]	Principles of Landscape Ecology **
PHIL*2070	[0.50]	Philosophy of the Environment
POLS*3370	[0.50]	Environmental Politics and Governance
STAT*2050	[0.50]	Statistics II
STAT*3210	[0.50]	Experimental Design **

**Unspecialized (UNSP)**

Choose 5.00 credits from any courses listed in the other areas of emphasis.

**Minor (Honours Program)**

A minor in Plant Science requires a minimum of 5.00 credits in the Plant Science Program chosen in consultation with the Faculty Advisor. The courses include:

AGR*2470	[0.50]	Introduction to Plant Agriculture
BOT*2100	[0.50]	Life Strategies of Plants
BOT*3310	[0.50]	Plant Growth and Development
BOT*3410	[0.50]	Plant Anatomy
BOT*3710	[0.50]	Plant Diversity and Evolution
BOT*4380	[0.50]	Metabolism in the Whole Life of Plants

2.00 credits from any courses listed in the areas of emphasis.

Restricted electives indicated with \* are non-science electives. Restricted electives indicated with \*\* require other restricted electives as prerequisites.

**Statistics (STAT)****Department of Mathematics and Statistics, College of Engineering and Physical Sciences**

Statistics plays a fundamental role in virtually all scientific disciplines, including biology, physics, chemistry, medicine, epidemiology, kinesiology, and toxicology. Students minoring in Statistics will develop practical skills in data visualization and analysis, statistical computing, technical writing and communication in a variety of applications areas, preparing them well for careers in the modern workplace.

Students may declare this minor in any semester.

**Minor (Honours Program)**

A total of 5.00 credits is required to complete the minor, including:

(MATH\*1080 or MATH\*1200)\*

(MATH\*1210 or MATH\*2080)\*\*

MATH*1160	[0.50]	Linear Algebra I
STAT*2040	[0.50]	Statistics I
STAT*2050	[0.50]	Statistics II
STAT*3100	[0.50]	Introductory Mathematical Statistics I
STAT*3110	[0.50]	Introductory Mathematical Statistics II
STAT*3240	[0.50]	Applied Regression Analysis

0.50 additional credits in Statistics

0.50 additional credits in Statistics or Mathematics at the 2000 level or above

\* IPS\*1500 can count toward this 0.50 credit

\*\* IPS\*1510 can count toward this 0.50 credit

**Note:** Students majoring in Mathematical Science cannot minor in Statistics.

**Theoretical Physics (THPY)****Department of Physics, College of Engineering and Physical Sciences**

Students may enter this major in Semester 1 or any semester thereafter. A student wishing to declare the major may wish to consult the Faculty Advisor. Since some of the required courses are not offered every semester, students entering the Major in Theoretical Physics should plan their program in consultation with the Faculty Advisor.

**Major (Honours Program)**

This major requires the completion of 20.00 credits. At least 1.00 of these credits must be obtained from the completion of Arts and/or Social Science courses.

**Semester 1**

CHEM*1040	[0.50]	General Chemistry I
IPS*1500	[1.00]	Integrated Mathematics and Physics I
MATH*1160	[0.50]	Linear Algebra I

One of:

BIOL*1070	[0.50]	Discovering Biodiversity
BIOL*1080	[0.50]	Biological Concepts of Health
BIOL*1090	[0.50]	Introduction to Molecular and Cellular Biology

Students who are lacking one 4U/grade 12 course in Biology, Chemistry or Physics must take the equivalent introductory course in first semester. The required first-year science courses in that subject should be completed according to the revised schedule of studies available at: [https://www.uoguelph.ca/bsc/revised\\_SS](https://www.uoguelph.ca/bsc/revised_SS)

**Semester 2**

CHEM*1050	[0.50]	General Chemistry II
CIS*1500	[0.50]	Introduction to Programming
IPS*1510	[1.00]	Integrated Mathematics and Physics II

One of:

BIOL*1070	[0.50]	Discovering Biodiversity
BIOL*1080	[0.50]	Biological Concepts of Health
BIOL*1090	[0.50]	Introduction to Molecular and Cellular Biology

**Note:** students who have taken physics courses other than IPS\*1500 or PHYS\*1080 in Semester 1 and IPS\*1510 or PHYS\*1010 in Semester 2, may proceed to semester 3 with the permission of the [Department of Physics](#)

**Semester 3**

MATH*2200	[0.50]	Advanced Calculus I
MATH*2270	[0.50]	Applied Differential Equations
PHYS*2240	[0.50]	Thermal Physics
PHYS*2330	[0.50]	Electricity and Magnetism I

0.50 Arts or Social Science electives

**Semester 4**

MATH*2210	[0.50]	Advanced Calculus II
PHYS*2180	[0.50]	Experimental Techniques in Physics
PHYS*2310	[0.50]	Mechanics
PHYS*2340	[0.50]	Electricity and Magnetism II

0.50 electives\*

**Semester 5**

IPS*3000	[0.50]	Science Communication
PHYS*3130	[0.50]	Mathematical Physics
PHYS*3230	[0.50]	Quantum Mechanics I
PHYS*3400	[0.50]	Advanced Mechanics

0.50 electives\*

**Semester 6**

NANO*3600	[0.50]	Computational Methods in Materials Science
PHYS*3000	[0.50]	Optics: Fundamentals and Applications
PHYS*3510	[0.50]	Intermediate Laboratory
PHYS*4040	[0.50]	Quantum Mechanics II

0.50 electives\*

**Semester 7**

PHYS*4120	[0.50]	Atomic and Molecular Physics
PHYS*4180	[0.50]	Advanced Electromagnetic Theory
PHYS*4240	[0.50]	Statistical Physics II

Two of:

PHYS*4001	[0.50]	Research in Physics
PHYS*4500	[0.50]	Advanced Physics Laboratory

0.50 electives\*

0.50 electives\*

**Semester 8**

MATH*3260	[0.50]	Complex Analysis
PHYS*4130	[0.50]	Subatomic Physics
PHYS*4150	[0.50]	Solid State Physics

One of:

PHYS*4002	[0.50]	Research in Physics
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0.50 electives\*

0.50 electives\*

**\*Restricted Electives**

Students must complete 2.00 credits from the following list:

CIS*2500	[0.50]	Intermediate Programming
MATH*2000	[0.50]	Proofs, Sets, and Numbers
MATH*2130	[0.50]	Numerical Methods
MATH*3100	[0.50]	Differential Equations II
MATH*3130	[0.50]	Abstract Algebra
MATH*3160	[0.50]	Linear Algebra II
MATH*3200	[0.50]	Real Analysis
MATH*3240	[0.50]	Operations Research

**Credit Summary (20.00 Total Credits)**

5.00 - First year science credits

11.00 - Required science courses semesters 3 – 8

2.00 - Restricted electives

1.00 - Arts and/or Social Science electives

1.00 - Free electives - any approved elective for B.Sc. students. , could be less if restricted electives do not count as science

Of the total credits required, students are required to complete 16.00 credits in science of which 2.00 credits must be at the 4000 level and an additional 4.00 credits must be at the 3000 or 4000 level.

**Wildlife Biology and Conservation (WBC)****Department of Integrative Biology, College of Biological Science**

The core of this major will provide students with an integrated foundation in three disciplines necessary to understand the origins, interactions, and protection of biological diversity: evolution, ecology, and conservation biology. After the second semester, the student has the opportunity to take a wide variety of electives, including courses that meet his/her specific interests within one or two of these disciplines. The program offers a sound scientific background in preparation for careers in resource management, conservation, ecological consulting, teaching, and government service. This major also qualifies students for post-graduate work in ecology, evolutionary biology, environmental sciences, or wildlife management.

### Major (Honours Program)

Students may enter this major in Semester 1 or any semester thereafter. A student wishing to declare the major may wish to consult the Faculty Advisor. A minimum total of 20.00 credits is required to complete the major.

#### Semester 1

BIOL*1070	[0.50]	Discovering Biodiversity
CHEM*1040	[0.50]	General Chemistry I
MATH*1080	[0.50]	Elements of Calculus I
PHYS*1080	[0.50]	Physics for Life Sciences

0.50 Arts or Social Science electives

Students lacking Grade 12 or 4U Biology, Chemistry or Physics should follow the revised schedule of study for this major found at [https://www.uoguelph.ca/bsc/revised\\_SS](https://www.uoguelph.ca/bsc/revised_SS)

#### Semester 2

BIOL*1080	[0.50]	Biological Concepts of Health
BIOL*1090	[0.50]	Introduction to Molecular and Cellular Biology
CHEM*1050	[0.50]	General Chemistry II
PHYS*1070	[0.50]	Physics for Life Sciences II

0.50 Arts or Social Science electives

#### Semester 3

BIOC*2580	[0.50]	Introduction to Biochemistry
MBG*2040	[0.50]	Foundations in Molecular Biology and Genetics

1.50 electives or restricted electives

#### Semester 4

BIOL*2060	[0.50]	Ecology
BIOL*2400	[0.50]	Evolution
STAT*2230	[0.50]	Biostatistics for Integrative Biology

1.00 electives or restricted electives

#### Semester 5

BIOL*3010	[0.50]	Laboratory and Field Work in Ecology
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2.00 electives or restricted electives

#### Semester 6

BIOL*3040	[0.50]	Methods in Evolutionary Biology
BIOL*3060	[0.50]	Populations, Communities & Ecosystems
BIOL*3130	[0.50]	Conservation Biology

1.00 electives or restricted electives

#### Semester 7

BIOL*4110	[1.00]	Ecological Methods
BIOL*4150	[0.50]	Wildlife Conservation and Management

1.00 electives or restricted electives

**Note:** For students considering graduate research programs, BIOL\*4110 may be substituted by an independent research course (1.00 credits minimum). Course options include: (IBIO\*4500 and IBIO\*4510), IBIO\*4521/IBIO\*4522.

#### Semester 8

BIOL*4500	[0.50]	Natural Resource Policy Analysis
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2.00 electives or restricted electives

#### Restricted Electives

Note that some courses have prerequisites, so be sure to consult the undergraduate calendar.

- A minimum of 1.00 credits of Arts and/or Social Science electives are required. The list of approved Arts and Social Science electives for B.Sc. students is available at: [https://www.uoguelph.ca/bsc/Approved\\_electives](https://www.uoguelph.ca/bsc/Approved_electives)
- A minimum of 0.50 credits from:
 

BOT*2100	[0.50]	Life Strategies of Plants
ZOO*2090	[0.50]	Vertebrate Structure and Function
ZOO*2700	[0.50]	Invertebrate Morphology & Evolution
- A minimum of 0.50 credits from:
 

BOT*3050	[0.50]	Plant Functional Ecology
ZOO*3600	[0.50]	Comparative Animal Physiology I
- A minimum of 0.50 credits from:
 

BIOL*3020	[0.50]	Population Genetics
BIOL*4120	[0.50]	Evolutionary Ecology
- A minimum of 3.00 credits from any of the following lists of courses. The courses are broken into disciplines for which they are most suitable to help students tailor their electives towards a specific field if desired.

\*Some of the restricted electives will require additional courses outside of the required courses listed in Semesters 3-8

\*\* Please note not all restricted electives are considered science electives for B.Sc. students. If the non-science restricted electives are chosen, students are reminded that they will still be responsible for meeting the minimum of 16.00 credits in science and that the credit summary may vary from what is specified below.

#### Evolution

BIOL*3020	[0.50]	Population Genetics
BIOL*3300	[0.50]	Applied Bioinformatics
BOT*3710	[0.50]	Plant Diversity and Evolution
ENVS*3090	[0.50]	Insect Diversity and Biology
ENVS*3180	[0.50]	Sedimentary Environments *
MBG*3040	[0.50]	Molecular Biology of the Gene
MBG*4110	[0.50]	Epigenetics *
MBG*4270	[0.50]	DNA Replication, Recombination and Repair *
ZOO*2700	[0.50]	Invertebrate Morphology & Evolution
ZOO*3050	[0.50]	Developmental Biology

#### Ecology

ANSC*3180	[0.50]	Wildlife Nutrition *
BIOL*3450	[0.50]	Introduction to Aquatic Environments
ENVS*3000	[0.50]	Nature Interpretation
ENVS*3270	[0.50]	Forest Biodiversity *
ENVS*4350	[0.50]	Forest Ecology *
NUTR*3210	[0.50]	Fundamentals of Nutrition
ZOO*4300	[0.75]	Marine Biology and Oceanography *
ZOO*4570	[0.50]	Marine Ecological Processes *

#### Conservation

BIOL*4350	[0.50]	Limnology of Natural and Polluted Waters *
ECON*1050	[0.50]	Introductory Microeconomics
ECON*2100	[0.50]	Economic Growth and Environmental Quality **
ENVS*2030	[0.50]	Meteorology and Climatology
ENVS*3010	[0.50]	Climate Change Biology
FARE*2700	[0.50]	Survey of Natural Resource Economics **
GEOG*1220	[0.50]	Human Impact on the Environment **
GEOG*2480	[0.50]	Mapping and GIS
GEOG*3480	[0.50]	GIS and Spatial Analysis
GEOG*4230	[0.50]	Environmental Impact Assessment *
GEOG*4480	[1.00]	Applied Geomatics

#### Integrative/Cross-Disciplinary

IBIO*4500	[1.00]	Research in Integrative Biology I
IBIO*4510	[1.00]	Research in Integrative Biology II
IBIO*4521/2	[2.00]	Thesis in Integrative Biology
MCB*2050	[0.50]	Molecular Biology of the Cell
ZOO*3610	[0.25]	Lab Studies in Animal Physiology I
ZOO*3620	[0.50]	Comparative Animal Physiology II
ZOO*3630	[0.25]	Lab Studies in Animal Physiology II
ZOO*3700	[0.50]	Integrative Biology of Invertebrates *
ZOO*4070	[0.50]	Animal Behaviour
ZOO*4910	[0.50]	Integrative Vertebrate Biology *
ZOO*4920	[0.25]	Lab Studies in Ornithology
ZOO*4940	[0.25]	Lab Studies in Herpetology
ZOO*4950	[0.25]	Lab Studies in Mammalogy

#### Field Courses

BIOL*4410	[0.75]	Field Ecology
BIOL*4610	[0.75]	Arctic Ecology
BIOL*4700	[0.50]	Field Biology
BIOL*4710	[0.25]	Field Biology
BIOL*4800	[0.50]	Field Biology
BIOL*4810	[0.25]	Field Biology
BIOL*4900	[0.50]	Field Biology

#### Credit Summary (20.00 Total Credits)

- 4.00 - First year science core  
 6.50 - Required science courses semesters 3 - 8  
 4.50 - Restricted electives (# 2, 3, 4 and 5 in restricted electives list)\*\*  
 1.00 - Approved Science electives  
 1.00 - Approved Arts and/or Social Science electives (#1 in restricted electives list)  
 3.00 - Free electives - any approved elective for B.Sc. students  
 Of the total credits required, students are required to complete 16.00 credits in science of which a minimum of 2.00 credits must be at the 4000 level and an additional 4.00 credits must be at the 3000 or 4000 level.

#### Zoology (ZOO)

Department of Integrative Biology, College of Biological Science

The Major in Zoology offers a broad education in the life sciences while providing a more specialized understanding of the structure, function and ecology of animals. This major qualifies students for post-graduate work in zoology and other life sciences and provides a sound science background for students wishing to pursue careers in teaching, government service or the private sector.

### Major (Honours Program)

Students may enter this major in Semester 1 or any semester thereafter. A student wishing to declare the major may wish to consult the Faculty Advisor. A minimum total of 20.00 credits is required to complete the major. At least 6.00 science credits must be at the 3000 or 4000 level, 2.00 of which must be at the 4000 level.

#### Semester 1

BIOL*1070	[0.50]	Discovering Biodiversity
CHEM*1040	[0.50]	General Chemistry I
MATH*1080	[0.50]	Elements of Calculus I
PHYS*1080	[0.50]	Physics for Life Sciences

0.50 Arts or Social Science electives

Students lacking Grade 12 or 4U Biology, Chemistry or Physics should follow the revised schedule of study for this major found at [https://www.uoguelph.ca/bsc/revised\\_SS](https://www.uoguelph.ca/bsc/revised_SS)

#### Semester 2

BIOL*1080	[0.50]	Biological Concepts of Health
BIOL*1090	[0.50]	Introduction to Molecular and Cellular Biology
CHEM*1050	[0.50]	General Chemistry II
PHYS*1070	[0.50]	Physics for Life Sciences II

0.50 Arts or Social Science electives

#### Semester 3

BIOL*2060	[0.50]	Ecology
BIOL*2400	[0.50]	Evolution
ZOO*2090	[0.50]	Vertebrate Structure and Function

1.00 electives or restricted electives \*

#### Semester 4

BIOC*2580	[0.50]	Introduction to Biochemistry
MBG*2040	[0.50]	Foundations in Molecular Biology and Genetics
STAT*2230	[0.50]	Biostatistics for Integrative Biology
ZOO*2700	[0.50]	Invertebrate Morphology & Evolution

0.50 electives or restricted electives \*

#### Semester 5

ZOO*3000	[0.50]	Comparative Histology
ZOO*3600	[0.50]	Comparative Animal Physiology I
ZOO*3610	[0.25]	Lab Studies in Animal Physiology I
ZOO*3700	[0.50]	Integrative Biology of Invertebrates

Electives or restricted electives to a maximum of 2.75 total credits in this semester.

#### Semester 6

BIOL*3060	[0.50]	Populations, Communities & Ecosystems
ZOO*3050	[0.50]	Developmental Biology
ZOO*3620	[0.50]	Comparative Animal Physiology II
ZOO*3630	[0.25]	Lab Studies in Animal Physiology II

Electives or restricted electives to a maximum of 2.75 total credits in this semester.

#### Semester 7

ZOO*4070	[0.50]	Animal Behaviour
ZOO*4910	[0.50]	Integrative Vertebrate Biology

1.50 electives or restricted electives

#### Semester 8

2.50 electives or restricted electives

\* CIS\*1200 is recommended for those needing to improve their computer skills.

#### Restricted Electives must include:

1. A minimum of 1.00 credits of Arts and/or Social Science electives are required. The list of approved Arts and Social Science electives for B.Sc. students is available at: [https://www.uoguelph.ca/bsc/Approved\\_electives](https://www.uoguelph.ca/bsc/Approved_electives)

2. A minimum of 0.50 credits from:

ZOO*4330	[0.50]	Biology of Fishes
ZOO*4920	[0.25]	Lab Studies in Ornithology
ZOO*4940	[0.25]	Lab Studies in Herpetology
ZOO*4950	[0.25]	Lab Studies in Mammalogy

3. A minimum of 0.50 credits from:

BIOL*4410	[0.75]	Field Ecology
BIOL*4610	[0.75]	Arctic Ecology
BIOL*4700	[0.50]	Field Biology
BIOL*4710	[0.25]	Field Biology
BIOL*4800	[0.50]	Field Biology
BIOL*4810	[0.25]	Field Biology
IBIO*4500	[1.00]	Research in Integrative Biology I
IBIO*4510	[1.00]	Research in Integrative Biology II
IBIO*4521/2	[2.00]	Thesis in Integrative Biology

ZOO*4170	[0.50]	Experimental Comparative Animal Physiology
ZOO*4300	[0.75]	Marine Biology and Oceanography

Other field or research courses with approval of faculty advisor.

#### Credit Summary (20.00 Total Credits)

4.00 - First year science core

8.00 - Required science courses semesters 3 - 8

1.00 - Restricted electives (# 2, and 3 in restricted electives list)

3.00 - Approved Science electives

1.00 - Arts and/or Social Science electives (#1 in restricted electives)

3.00 - Free electives - any approved elective for B.Sc. students

Of the total credits required, students are required to complete 16.00 credits in science of which a minimum of 2.00 credits must be at the 4000 level and an additional 4.00 credits must be at the 3000 or 4000 level.

#### Minor (Honours Program)

Students in majors other than Zoology, Biodiversity, Wildlife Biology & Conservation and Marine & Freshwater Biology who have a strong interest in Zoology may choose to take a minor in Zoology.

A minor in Zoology requires a minimum of 5.00 credits, 4.00 of which must be from the following list:

BIOL*2060	[0.50]	Ecology
BIOL*2400	[0.50]	Evolution
BIOL*3060	[0.50]	Populations, Communities & Ecosystems
ZOO*2090	[0.50]	Vertebrate Structure and Function
ZOO*2700	[0.50]	Invertebrate Morphology & Evolution
ZOO*3000	[0.50]	Comparative Histology
ZOO*3050	[0.50]	Developmental Biology
ZOO*3600	[0.50]	Comparative Animal Physiology I
ZOO*3610	[0.25]	Lab Studies in Animal Physiology I
ZOO*3620	[0.50]	Comparative Animal Physiology II
ZOO*3630	[0.25]	Lab Studies in Animal Physiology II
ZOO*3700	[0.50]	Integrative Biology of Invertebrates
ZOO*4070	[0.50]	Animal Behaviour
ZOO*4330	[0.50]	Biology of Fishes
ZOO*4910	[0.50]	Integrative Vertebrate Biology
ZOO*4920	[0.25]	Lab Studies in Ornithology
ZOO*4940	[0.25]	Lab Studies in Herpetology
ZOO*4950	[0.25]	Lab Studies in Mammalogy

The remaining 1.00 credits may also come from this list or from outside this list, in consultation with a faculty advisor.